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AUSTRIA SENDS ABJECT PLEA FOR PEACE

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CLEARING ALPS OF TEUTON ENEMY FAST

Fifteen Thousand Prisoners Taken by Allies In Italy

FRENCH PUSH AHEAD ON SERRE

American Guns Pound German Railway Junctions

ITALIAN HEADQUARTERS ON THE PIAVE FRONT, Oct. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—The capture of Valdobbiadene is considered important in view of the future operations along the Piave front. A bridgehead has been firmly established there.

When 1500 prisoners reached the river they fought eagerly to secure places in the barges so as to cross the river and eat a full meal. The first French batteries have been taken across the Piave.

By the Associated Press.

In the Italian theater over a front of nearly forty miles from the Brenta to the middle reaches of the Piave river, the British, French and Italian armies are developing with success an offensive against the Austro-Hungarian and are swiftly driving them from the mountain passes toward the Austrian frontier and across the plains east of the Piave in Northern Italy. American reserves are behind the lines prepared to aid the Allies when the opportune moment arrives.

On all the other battle fronts, the Allie darms continue to be served. In Belgium there has been little fighting except by the artillery wings of the opposing armies, while in the region around Valenciennes the engagements between the British and Germans have savored more of outpost encounters than pitched battles. In whatever fighting there has been, however, Field Marshal Haig's men have retained the upper hand and taken more prisoners and additional guns and war stores.

Farther south, French are continuing successfully their process of leveling the old salient between the territory east of St. Quentin and Rethel. Additional progress has been made by General Debeny's troops, notwithstanding the violent resistance of the Germans, who all along the front are using machine guns to retard the advance of the Frenchmen toward the important lines of railway communication to the east. On some sectors the Germans are slowly retreating, but nowhere are the French patrols permitting the enemy to get out of contact with them.

Americans Bombard Conflans

Aside from the artillery and machine gun activity, there has been little fighting on that part of the front held by the Americans from the Meuse river to the vicinity of Grand Pre. The Germans have been heavily bombing the American positions with shells of all calibers, including gas projectiles, with the Americans answering them shot for shot. The new big guns of the Americans are vigorously shelling German positions far behind the lines, taking under their fire towns of strategic importance from the standpoint of communications, and troop formations preparing to be sent as reinforcements to salient points of the crumbling battle line.

Conflans, lying to the west of Metz, and the principal junction point of communication with the big fortress on the Moselle, and, Spincourt and Dommary-Baroncourt, also important railway junctions, all were under particularly heavy fire from the American guns throughout Tuesday. In addition, American aviators continally are lending their aid to the big guns in the process of blasting enemy positions and troop concentration points inside the German lines. In the last operations by the aviators, nine German machines were sent crashing down.

Many Prisoners Taken

Large numbers of prisoners and numerous guns have been taken by the Allied troops in the big battle that is in progress on the Italian front. The Allies, particularly the British, are well across the Piave river from where the battle line in the mountains curves and bends southward toward the Adriatic. The latest British official communication announces the opposition of the Austro Hungarians appears to be weakening in the face of the attacks of the British Tenth army, which is successfully driving northeastward.

FURTHER ADVANCE BEYOND THE SERRE

PARIS, Oct. 29.—In an advance west of Banogne, northeast of Laon, the French today took 450 prisoners, according to the war office announcement tonight. The Fifth army attacked today on a front of about seven and a half miles between St. Quentin-Le Petit and Herpy.

The communication follows:

"Between the Oise and the Serre rivers there have been 32 and 1/2 trill-

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Versailles Conference Agrees on Terms for Proposed Armistice

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Versailles conference, according to the report current in London this afternoon, has agreed on the main points of the armistice terms, which will now be considered by the military commanders.

The final peace terms, it is said, will be submitted to Germany simultaneously with the armistice terms.

HARVEY JORDAN OF EXETER IS KILLED, FRANCE

(Special to the Republican.)

TULARE, Oct. 29.—F. A. Thomas received word today of the death of his cousin, Harvey Jordan, who was serving on the western front in France. The young man was the son of J. B. Jordan of Exeter, who was a Tulare visitor this morning at the Thomas home.

CLUB SANDWICHES TABOO; BUT STILL WE HAVE HAM AN'

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Club sandwiches containing chicken and bacon, or any dishes combining more than one kind of meat, must disappear from hotel menus, according to an interpretation today by the federal food board of the twelve regulations governing public eating houses recently announced by the hotel division of the food administration. The established combinations of ham and eggs or bacon and eggs, however, are not to be disturbed. Patrons may call for reduced portions, with the provisions that "it should be understood when such a reduced portion is served, the price should be reduced accordingly."

"SAVE PRESIDENT FROM HIS PARTY"

Uurges Hughes in Deploring Spirit of Wilson's Partisanship

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—For calling national unity "after the methods of a republic and not an autocracy" and deploring President Wilson's assumption that only the return to Congress of a Democratic majority would uphold his national leadership, Charles E. Hughes declared here tonight that by partisan support alone "would save the President from the lesser dignity and influence of mere party leadership."

Speaking at a Republican rally at the Union League club, Hughes declared that "no political party was paramount in patriotism," and that Republicans had a right to express their political preferences.

"Must we Republicans," he declared, "patriotically toil, and give without seeking a voice in the national assembly, yielding our representatives to Democrats not as more worthy or more loyal, not as more sacrificing or more intelligent, but to Democrats as such, simply because they are Democrats?"

After declaring the issue was transcendent, Hughes emphasized the need for complete victory in the war, the crushing of arbitrary and tyrannical military power and the dawn of the new era of peace and justice.

"Did I not think that the Republican party would, through its representatives, and in the efficient conduct of this war and in the settlement of a righteous peace, I should leave the party. It is because I believe the Republican party is an important and necessary agency in the winning of this war and in establishing a just peace, that, as a Republican, but not in a narrow, partisan spirit, I join with you in the earnest support of the Republican candidates.

"Let there be fair and open discussion and free consultation and then we can trust the future. With the country almost equally divided between two parties, the freese expression and choice of representatives should be welcomed.

"But it is said that the return of a Republican majority will be misunderstood abroad.

"We shall not be misunderstood. We shall support the President, not as the President of a party, not as the President of half of the nation, but as the President of the entire nation, as he acts according to the genius of our institutions, and we shall save him from the lesser dignity and influences of mere party leadership.

YELLOW FEVER IN CENTRAL AMERICA

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 29.—Champerico and San Jose De Guatemala, Central American ports, have been placed under a strict quarantine on account of yellow fever, according to word brought here today by shipping men. Salvador, Honduras and Nicaragua have put restrictions on the two ports. The Guatemalan government has notified shipping interests that every precaution will be taken to keep the disease in the districts affected now.

SOME INCREASE IN "FLU" CASES

San Francisco Health Officer Says Situation Is Better

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—New cases of influenza and pneumonia continue to show a slight increase in army camps over the country, particularly in camps where new increments are arriving. Reports received tonight show new cases of influenza numbered 2,860 against 2,531 for the previous day, while there was a marked increase in new pneumonia cases, 619 being reported against 431 for yesterday. Deaths totalled 198 against 188 the day before.

Camp Cody, New Mexico, again reported the highest number of influenza cases.

"Under Control"

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Although the figures seemed to indicate an increase in the number of Spanish influenza cases in this city tonight, and the number of deaths resulting therefrom, Dr. William C. Hassler, municipal health officer, declared that the epidemic is "going down."

The number of new cases reported up to 5 p. m. was 1518 and the number of deaths was 124. The number of new cases reported yesterday up to 5 p. m. was 1243 and the number of deaths was ninety.

According to Dr. Hassler, the actual number of new cases today was but 812, the other having developed and not been reported until today.

"It looks as though we had the epidemic in control," Dr. Hassler said. "The work of the doctors certainly is letting up. The main thing is to continue to wear the masks."

San Francisco faced a garbage disposal problem, officials said tonight, because of the epidemic's spread among the scavengers and employes of a city incinerator. Only twenty-five of the sixty men employed at the incinerator reported for work today.

Householders were requested to cooperate with the city in meeting the shortage of scavengers.

Increase in South

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 29. New cases of influenza reported to the Los Angeles health department for the 24 hour period ending at 5 p. m. today numbered 859. This was a slight increase over the daily average for the past few days. The failure of the curve representing new cases to show a continuously downward trend was attributed by Dr. L. M. Powers, city health commissioner to the failure of influenza convalescents to remain in isolation long enough.

There were fifty-three deaths during the day from influenza and pneumonia.

MISERY GROWING IN THE LEVANT

One-Third of Population of Lebanon Has Died of Starvation

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Relief work on a far greater scale than now is being administered by the American Red Cross among the civilian populations of the Holy Land is immediately necessary if thousands of men, women and children are to be saved, said a cablegram received at Red Cross headquarters today from Dr. John H. Finley, Red Cross commissioner for Palestine.

One-third of the population of Lebanon has died of starvation and disease due to lack of nourishment; many villages are depopulated and in ruins, and thousands of persons are in dire need as the result of epidemics, prohibitive prices of food and inability to get work, Dr. Finley said.

Conditions in many of the hospitals are deplorable because of the shortage of physicians. More than 10,000 sick civilians have been cared for by the Red Cross in a single month.

There are 10,000 Armenian refugees in and about Damascus, and 5,000 more in the Hauran district, the cablegram stated.

U-BOAT ATTACKS STOPPED, SAYS LAW

LONDON, Oct. 29.—For some time there has been a cessation of U-boat attacks on the passenger steamers, Andrew Bonar-Law announced in the House of Commons today. But, he added, there have been attacks on other steamers during the last week.

RHINE PEOPLE HURRY EAST IN PANIC FLIGHT

Transforming Their Bank Accounts Into Movable Securities

BANKS APPEAL ALL IN VAIN

War Factories Closed, the Working People Insist on Peace

LONDON, Oct. 29.—(British Wireless Service).—Civilian departures from the lower Rhineland and part of Westphalia, which were begun on a small scale when the first Allied bombs hit Colonge, have developed into a panic flight, according to The Hague correspondent of the Daily Mail. All the banks are being stormed by depositors who are withdrawing their savings in German bank notes of as high a value as are obtainable. The one hundred mark note having an appreciable market value over lower currency. But even small notes, of one mark, are being taken eagerly.

Not only are some of the banks at their wits end for legal currency to pay out deposits, but, in places, especially Cologne and Dusseldorff, all except local, and therefore valueless, currency has disappeared.

Everybody who can possibly afford it, is trying to make his or her way eastward.

Even in Berlin, financial panic has seized the people and the ordinary paper currency of the empire has vanished. The municipality has been compelled to issue emergency currency to the value of about 50,000,000 marks, valid until February next, within the confines of Greater Berlin. Tradesmen may refuse to accept this currency, or at least decline to change the notes, except when compelled to take them in payment for goods already delivered.

The big German banks have published appeals to "our fellow citizens" not to withdraw deposits and not to hoard currency notes. But the rush on the banks has grown worse than ever.

The working population of Cologne, seeing the war factories closed down, big houses evacuated and east-bound trains crowded with well-to-do fugitives, are demanding immediate peace more insistently than ever.

Demonstrations have been increasingly violent. A manifesto which has been issued by a section of the Social Democrats declares that if the emperor does not voluntarily abdicate he will be removed. It says:

"If the necessity arises and the hour comes, the organized masses of labor, with strong middle class support, will remove every hindrance to peace which does not voluntarily yield to the will of the huge majority of the people."

FEDERAL COUNCIL APPROVES CHANGES

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 29.—The German federal council has approved the bill amending the imperial constitution in the form as adopted by the Reichstag, says a Berlin telegram.

The Reichstag on Saturday amended the constitution by placing the military authorities under the control of the civil government. The measure was adopted by a large majority. The retirement of General Ludendorff has been reported as having been due to the passage of the measure by the Reichstag.

PERMIT JITNEYS IN SACRAMENTO

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 29.—Virtually unrestricted operations of jitney buses in Sacramento was authorized today in an ordinance passed by the city commission. This action followed a threat of D. W. Carmichael, president of the commission, to restore the jitneys if the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, operating the local street car lines, did not withdraw its application pending before the state railroad commission for a six-cent fare.

ENLIST RUMANIANS FOR THE ENTENTE

WASHINTON, Oct. 29.—A brigade of Rumanian infantry has been organized in Siberia to fight with Entente troops, according to a cablegram received today by Professor T. G. Masaryk, president of the Czecho-Slovak National Council. The unit is composed of Rumanians of Austria-Hungary who were taken prisoner by the Russians in the early days of the war and sent to Siberia as prisoners.

Rumanians of Austria-Hungary also are fighting under the Allied command in France and Italy.

ANDRASSY IMPLORES WILSON TO OBTAIN ARMISTICE AT ONCE

Whole Question Raised by Notes From Vienna May Be Left to Allied Council

VIENNA, via Basel, Switzerland, Oct. 29.—Austria-Hungary through her new foreign minister, Count Andrassy, has sent a note to Secretary of State Lansing, requesting the secretary's intervention with President Wilson for an immediate armistice on all fronts and for the commencement of peace negotiations. The note says:

Immediately after having taken direction of the ministry of foreign affairs, and after the despatch of the oficial answer to your note of October 18, 1918, by which you were able to see that we accept all the points and principles laid down by President Wilson in his various declarations and are in complete accord with the efforts of President Wilson to prevent future wars and to create a league of nations, we have taken preparatory measures, in order that Austians and Hungarians may be able, according to their own desire and without being in any way hindered, to make a decision as to their future organization and to rule it.

"Since the accession to power of Emperor King Charles his immovable purpose has been to bring an end to the war. More than ever this is the desire of the sovereign of all the Austro-Hungarian peoples, who acknowledge their future destiny can only be accomplished in a pacific world, by being freed from all disturbances, privations and sorrows of war.

"This is why I address you directly, Mr. Secretary of State, praying that you will have the goodness to intervene with the President of the United States, in order that, in the interest of humanity, as in the interest of all those who live in Austria-Hungary, an immediate armistice may be concluded on all fronts and for an overture that immediate negotiations for peace may follow."

VIENNA, via Basel, Oct. 29.—The Austro-Hungarian government has communicated its latest note to the French, British, Japanese and Italian governments, begging the approval and support of these nations.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—In the absence of any official announcement there was a somewhat widespread impression here tonight that Austria's renewed appeal to President Wilson for an immediate armistice and peace would be transmitted to the Allied governments before which Germany's request has been placed.

In some quarters, however, there was a disposition to accord different treatment to the Austrian plea because of the complex problems arising from the new conditions that apparently have developed there since the President replied to Austria's original request.

The official text of the Austrian note was delivered to Secretary Lansing today by the Swedish minister soon after the regular Tuesday meeting of the cabinet, at which it was understood the unofficial version as transmitted by the Associated Press from Basel, Switzerland, was given consideration. If any definite conclusion was reached, the fact was not revealed, officials stating they could not indicate what disposition would be made of the note in advance of a careful study of the official version.

The text received at the Swedish legation was in French and it has not yet been translated at the state department. After a preliminary examination, it was said there that it did not differ essentially from the unofficial as received from Switzerland. No indication was given as to when the translation of the note would be made public.

Peace Terms With Each.

These adhering to the opinion that different treatment should be accorded to the Austrian request than was given the plea of the German government pointed to cable dispatches today reporting the establishment of the independent state of Hungary, of the recognition by that state of the independence of the Czecho-Slovak and Jugo-Slav provinces, and also of German-Austria as suggesting the introduction of complex factors into the problem of settling with the dual empire. Even if each of the many nationalities that make up that empire become independent before peace is arranged, it was said they still must bear their individual shares of the responsibility for the acts committed by the empire. Logically each might have to sue for a separate peace.

However, it is believed that the American government will not be diverted from the pursuit of its main object by the consideration of these individual uprisings in Austria-Hungary. It probably will follow consistently the course pursued in dealing with Germany, and insist on treating first the proposition for an armistice, which it regards as a purely military question, leaving to the final peace conference the adjustment of the claims to independent existence of the various oppressed nationalities in Austria-Hungary.

If that course is followed, then not only the remnant of the dual empire over which Emperor Charles still holds sway, but the separatist state of Hungary and even Bohemia and the Jugo-Slavs sections must accept the terms to be laid down by the supreme military council at Versailles. This, many observers said, probably would involve disarmament, demobilizating, opening of the Austro-Hungarian railroads to the Entente Allies and guarantees in the shape of occupied fortresses to ensure the safety of the Entente armies against treacherous attacks in the rear if they advance to strike Germany from the south.

Leaves Germany Helpless.

Vienna's plea for an armistice is interpreted quite generally in military circles here as an offer to capitulate as completely as did Bulgaria. Military officials, both Allied and American, believe the complete elimination of Austria-Hungary as a belligerent would bring the world war within sight of an end.

While there is doubt that it would be practical to attack Germany from the south, the best informed Entente officers on duty here firmly believe that Germany would not attempt to fight on with Austria out of the war. The greatest fear the Germans have, they say, is of invasion of German soil and in the end, they believe, Germany will capitulate rather than face that contingency.

Assessing the probable results of Austrian surrender, officers pointed out that it would release the Italian armies for operations elsewhere. Unless Turkey has also dropped out of the fight by that time, as would seem logical, it was to expect that these forces would be turned at once to pressing the campaign against Constantinople. With Turkey also out, the two Italian divisions now in France could be quickly supplemented and another great army erected on that front to crush the wavering German lines.

Russian Border Left.

One result of Austrian capitulation which cannot be gauged reliably in advance is the situation of the thirty or more German divisions in Russia. The German general staff is known to have reduced the German forces in Russia to what was regarded as the minimum of safety when the spring drive in France was prepared. Recently, however, it has been learned that some of the divisions left there had been brought hastily to the western line and several were hurried to the Danube from

Larking Austrian help in Russia, the situation of the German forces there would appear to be perilous and officers say it would become vitally necessary that they be so disposed as to rest upon the Russo-German frontier. That would mean a great curtailment of Russian territory they could police and complete evacuation of Russia by the Germans was regarded as the logical result.

ITALY THINKS AUSTRIA STILL DIRECT PERIL

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Analysis of the Austrian peace note discloses "a studied attempt by emphasizing 'negotiations' and 'conference' to force the present situation back to the status of last January which is now obsolete," declared Dr. Felice Ferrero, director of the Italian bureau of public information, here tonight.

Asserting Austria's armies today are a strong, well organized military force with a high morale, he declared that the present Italian drive is not directed against a weakened enemy, "but against a force superior in numbers and capable of hard fighting and bitter resistance."

"The internal disturbance and political disorder of the dual monarchy must not be interpreted as meaning a greatly weakened and disorganized military force opposing the Italian armies," he said. "Such an impression is entirely unjustified and will only do harm if it leads the American public to expect an early disorganized and disastrous retreat of the Austrian forces."

MANY KILLED IN DISORDER AT MAGYAR CAPITAL

Karolyi as "Man of the Hour" Demands to Be Made Premier

HEADS COUP FOR NEW REPUBLIC

Emperor Charles Agrees to Separation From Austria

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Serious rioting took place at Budapest on Monday evening, according to a Budapest dispatch to the Vosische Zeitung of Berlin, which is quoted in a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company. Many lives are said to have been lost.

A deputation was sent by the party of Count Michael Karolyi to the castle at Budapest to ask Archuke Josef to appoint Karolyi premier, it is said. A great crowd followed the deputation and attempted to break through the military guard. Severe fighting followed, the soldiers using machine guns and bayonets. A large number of people were killed and the fighting was still in progress when the telegram was dispatched at 9 o'clock Monday evening.

The correspondent adds that the republican movement is growing and that a general labor revolt may be expected at any moment.

Complete Independence

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 29.—Archduke Joseph has issued a proclamation stating that Emperor Charles has charged him with the task of securing the complete independence of Hungary, a dispatch from Budapest says. The proclamation adds that peace will be aspired to at once and Hungary will join a league of nations, her integrity and unity being the first aim.

Andrassy vs. Karolyi

BUDAPEST, via Basel, Switzerland, Oct. 29.—Count Michael Karolyi, president of the Hungarian independent party, entered into negotiations yesterday at Vienna with Professor Lammasch, the new Austrian premier, but without results, according to the newspapers. Count Karolyi returned to Budapest last night and said he had submitted his program to King Charles, who had not accepted it.

It is understood that Count Andrassy, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, raised objections to the appointment of Count Karolyi as premier of Hungary and that King Charles thereupon appointed Archduke Joseph to consult with the political leaders with the object of trying to bring about a solution of the political crisis.

Slavs Refuse Help

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29. — Diplomatic dispatches received here today based on advices from Budapest says Count Karolyi has failed in his attempt to establish an independent government in Hungary with representatives of all the people because the Slav and Rumanian representatives refused to join him. It is assumed that the Karolyi government referred to in Vienna reports through Copenhagen was set up without the support of the Slavs and Rumanians.

According to the Budapest dispatches the situation there is extremely serious.

Peace treaties between the different nationalities of Austria and Hungary and the Entente powers are considered unavoidable. It is said to be evident that the magyar national council has proclaimed its dictatorship and that Count Karolyi has been given the mission of making this decision known to Emperor Charles. The young magyars are forming a military organization and the people in the streets of Budapest are demanding the renunciation of the political alliance with Germany.

Karolyi's Platform

BASEL, Switzerland, Oct. 29.—Count Michael Karolyi and the radical Socialist party after a conference at Budapest, have decided upon the separate and national autonomy of Hungary and have agreed on the following program:

Abolition of the present parliamentary system.

The establishment of guarantees for a free political Hungary.

The recall of the Hungarian troops to their homes and termination of the war with hope of safeguards for the interests of Hungary at the conclusion of peace.

The abandonment of the German alliance.

The dissolution of the Hungarian lower house with subsequent elections by the direct secret ballot of both male and female voters.

Suppression of the censorship, and the establishment of the freedom of speech, the press and public meetings.

Recognition of the new states of Ukraine, Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, the South Slavs and German Austria.

Count Karolyi, Count Batthyani and Baron Urgon had an audience with Emperor Charles Saturday.

TURKISH PEACE RUMORS AGAIN

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Turkey has independently presented peace proposals to the Entente nations, according to a report from Constantinople forwarded by the correspondent at Copenhagen of the Exchange Telegraph Company. The negotiations are expected to end soon, it is added.

CALLS FOR "SMOKE" DIRECTLY AFTER ARM BROKEN BY SHRAPNEL IS SET

A Canadian soldier whose arm has been broken by a piece of shrapnel calls for a "fag" as soon as the surgeon has finished his work. The arm was set in the emergency by the use of a bayonet scabbard and the handles of an entrenching tool, which were used as an improvised pair of splints. Photo shows a comrad lighting the Tommy's proverbial cigarette.

NIP TRAFFIC IN BOOZE TO UTAH

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Warrants charging John M. Browning of Ogden, Utah, said by the department of justice to be the son of John M. Browning, inventor of the Browning machine gun, and six other San Francisco and Ogden men in engaging in a conspiracy to ship wholesale quantities of liquor into Utah, were sworn to in the federal court here today.

According to E. M. Blanford, chief of the bureau of investigation, department of justice, here, the others in the alleged whisky smuggling conspiracy are J. H. Devine and Joseph Eccles, Ogden attorneys; Horace M. Brazil and James F. Delaney, San Francisco, express messengers; R. E. Price, San Francisco, a baggage man, and James H. Browne, Oakland, Cal., a train electrician. Brazil, Delaney and Price are under arrest here.

The men were caught shipping five trunks, each containing ten gallons of whisky, according to Blanford, who said that their alleged whisky smuggling activities started the first of this year and resulted in thousands of dollars worth of contraband liquor being shipped into Utah. The liquor was purchased here and shipped to Ogden through the messengers and trainmen, according to information in Blanford's hands. Purchases amounting to $4500 between August 1 and October 23 were traceable directing to Browning, Devine and Eccles, Blanford said.

Browning is an Ogden capitalist and Eccles is president of the Amalgamated Sugar Company of that city, Blanford said.

Prosecution of the men is to be conducted by Mrs. Annette A. Adams, temporary United States district attorney here, it was announced.

The complaints against the men were signed by Karl W. Hughes, assistant to Blanford, who secured the evidence against the men.

PLENTY OF WORK AFTER THE WAR

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 29.—Plenty of work after the war was promised munitions workers at the naval torpedo station here by Secretary of the Navy Daniels, who made an unexpected visit to this city today. The secretary addressed officers, enlisted men, yeowomen and many men and women munition workers in front of the commandant's house at the station. At the naval training station he reviewed a brigade of apprentice seamen and later addressed the men.

The secretary was enthusiastic in his praise for the munition workers and declared that without their efforts it would have been impossible for American destroyer flotillas to have made its splendid showing against the U-boats.

"When German autocracy is destroyed," he said, "as I pray God it will be within the next thirty days, and as it is sure to be by the prowess of our arms, there is going to be a big job for the navy. So the great establishment which he have begun here is but the foundation upon which we will build a larger naval establishment."

SPANISH DIVIDED ON WAR POLICIES

PARIS, Oct. 29.—An exciting sitting took place in the Spanish Cortes yesterday, according to a dispatch from Madrid to the Petit Parisien.

Count Romanones, the minister of public instruction, condemned the unrestricted neutral policy of the Spanish government, and other orators spoke in a similar vein. Count Romanones asserted that Spain should adopt a pro-Ally policy. He added that if Spain wanted to enjoy a lasting peace she must declare her position without hesitation.

Premier Maura, according to the dispatch, declared his intention of resigning. He declared the political crisis would then become acute and that the entire nation would be compelled to intervene in order to bring about a solution.

Nicholas Wants Part

PARIS, Sunday, Oct. 27.—King Nicholas of Montenegro has sent a declaration to the Jugo-Slavs, in which, after expressing his joy over President Wilson's reply to Austria and affirming the independence of the union of Jugo-Slavs, he said:

"I declare solemnly that Montenegro must become a constituent part of Jugo-Slavia."

The king advocated a confederate Jugo-Slavia, in which each state would be equal and would retain its rights, institutions and religion.

FURTHER ADVANCE BEYOND THE SERRE

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lery actions, notably in the region of Cracy-sur-Cerre.

"To the west of Chateau Porcien, the indefatigable troops of the Fifth army undertook today a new advance on a front of twelve kilometers between St. Quentin-Le Petit and Herpy. The battle is being fought with magnificent spirit on our side, and great stubbornness on the part of the enemy, who has orders to halt us at any price.

"On our left, in spite of an abundance of machine gunners who tried to check our advance, we succeeded in passing beyond St. Quentin-Le Petit and carried our line to the neighborhood of Hill 137.

"West of Banogne, we also made progress. In the center our troops have repulsed the enemy beyond the road of Recouvrange-St. Ferveux over a depth of three kilometers.

"To the right, we have conquered Hill 156 and advanced more to the east. Prisoners to the number of 850 have actually been counted.

"Aviation, October 28: Our reconnoitering machines have pressed very far into the enemy zone and brought back hundreds of photographs, many of them being taken between thirty and fifty kilometers from the front. Nine enemy planes were downed or fell out of control. A captive balloon was set on fire.

"During the fight our bombing squadrons dropped sixteen tons of projectiles on large railway stations at Hirson, Vervins, St. Gobert, Montcornet, Marle and Audun-Le-Roman, and on the aviation grounds of Murs-Le-Tour and on large depots at Provizy, Nurseries fires were started by our projectiles, namely, at Provizy, Hirson and Marle.

"Eastern front: On the Danube, in the region of Widin and of the Iron Gates there has been artillery fighting. The Serbian vanguard, pushing the enemy northward, has reached the front of Stragari, the Raka river and Resava, twenty kilometers north of Kragujevatz, and taken several hundred prisoners and machine guns.

"In the direction of Ujice and the frontier of Herzogovina, Serbian advanced elements have reached the pass west of Cazak. Jugo-Slav units operating in Montenegro have passed beyond Ipek and Diakovo."

Urge Allied Unity

LONDON, Oct. 29, (British Wireless Service).—Resolutions unanimously adopted at the recent conference of French, Italian, Belgian and British sections of the Inter-Allied parliamentary committee recommended that the nations now united in the fight for liberty should maintain their close associations until the dangers threatening them had been removed by the complete overthrow of the enemy powers.

Another resolution said that the governments of the Allied nations should forthwith prepare a scheme for the establishment of after-the-war machinery designed to secure and develop a "society of nations" as a proper means for attaining a durable peace.

It was stated by the committee that the loss of mercantile tonnage due to submarine warfare should be made good so far as possible by the transfer of enemy tonnage. The committee also urged upon the governments the necessity of constituting an inter-allied independent air force for the purpose of overcoming if need be the last resistance of the enemy by a campaign of raids over his territory. The common industrial control of production of aeronautical material was recommended.

Dissolve Press Bureau

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The press bureau of German general headquarters has been dissolved, according to an official dispatch today from Switzerland. The dispatch says some of the Berlin newspapers declare the bureau was responsible for spreading false news regarding the military powers of the Central empires.

"Not Complete"

PARIS, Oct. 29.—The "capitulation of Austria" is the unvarying caption with which the morning newspapers precede Count Julius Andrassy's note to President Wilson. The editorials of the newspapers, however, urge caution lest there be a hidden snare behind the offer.

"Beware of the last convulsions of a colossal enemy who is not yet completely crushed," writes Maurice Barres, in the Echo De Paris. "The situation will not clear until military defeat is acknowledged or inflicted. It will draw in its train the central empires, including Germany."

All writers agree that Count Andrassy represents nobody and, therefore, separate peace with Austria-Hungary is absurd and impossible.

"The democracies of the Entente can maintain only one attitude: An armistice first, and all their conditions of peace afterwards, but only afterwards," say L'Homme Libre.

The Journal says:

"There is a unique opportunity to lay down a reasonable basis for the future edifice of Central Europe. The total dislocation of the Hapsburg monarchy threatens to strengthen Germany by the addition of 12,000,000 Germans and Austrians and as many Magyars. A center of gravity is necessary in Middle Europe. This center can only be at Vienna or Berlin. What will happen if we put Vienna and Berlin in the same helmet?"

Destroys Pan-Germanism

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Austria's reply to President Wilson is viewed as an unconditional surrender. Additional interest is given the note in view of the effect it will inevitably have on the position of Germany.

"It removes," says the Telegraph, "any lingering doubt as to the total defeat of Germany, for which, besides being a most grave military misfortune, it involves ultimate crushing political defeat, as it destroys the monstrous fabric known as pan-Germanism."

The Chronicle says:

"It completes the isolation of Germany, which must be prepared to meet invasion from the Austrian side, where the whole Italian army will be able to operate against it."

The Daily News likens the chaos in Austria-Hungary to that in Russia, adding: "Chaos may soon follow in Germany."

FOOD AND SMOKES CATCH PRISONERS

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES NOTHWEST OF VERDUN, Sunday, Oct. 27.—(By the Associated Press.)—Americans now count among their prisoners fifty-one members of the Second German Landwehr, who are the most sadly disillusioned men from the German emperor's army. The men still are convinced they were played a shabby trick in being taken prisoner, though they are quickly becoming reconciled to their lot by generous rations of food and tobacco.

The Germans for several days had been coming unarmed out of their trenches, creeping forward to a point between the two lines, where they had been given bread and tobacco by the Americans. Their donors, they told an American intelligence officer today, wore crosses on their shoulders.

The other day when they came over they were told that the next time each man would receive five sacks of tobacco instead of one sack. The opportunity was too good to be lost, and instead of groups of three, four and five, as heretofore, fifty-one men came in a group eager for the tobacco and food.

The Germans were hospitaly received at the customary rendezvous, split into small groups and invited to come to another spot where the distribution would take place. That spot proved to be the intelligence office of the American division, where the landwehrs were informed they were prisoners.

The Germans indignantly demanded to be sent back to their lines immediately, together with their rations of five sacks of tobacco and bread. For a long time they could not be induced to say why they had been badly treated, but they gradually came to renounce their demand that they be returned, especially when they saw the treatment accorded them and other prisoners. The landwehrs will receive their extra rations as promised.

UNTERMYER ATTACKS REPUBLICAN CHIEFS

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Addressing a rally tonight in Tammany Hall, which was attended by Alfred E. Smith and other Democratic candidates for state office, Samuel Untermyer charged Republican leaders throughout the nation with conducting "a campaign of hypocrisy and misrepresentation to rob President Wilson of his magnificent handiwork and to dim the glory and prestige of the nation, lest the opposition party thereby suffer in influence."

"A more wicked, distorted, virtiolic assault could not be imagined," Mr. Untermyer added. "Not daring to refuse the president men or money with which to conduct the war, the Republicans have never lost an opportunity for carping criticism, and one cannot resist the feeling that their leaders in congress are ever watchful and alert for an opportunity to make political capital by embarrassing him whenever a decent pretext can be found or invented."

W. R. WILLIAMS APPOINTED

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—W. R. Williams, recorder of the state railroad commission, was appointed acting secretary of the commission here today, succeeding Rudolph A. Pabst, acting secretary, who died of pneumonia following Spanish influenza on Tuesday, October 22. Williams came from Los Angeles to succeed Frederick O'Brien as recorder when O'Brien went to Washington as an official of the food administration recently.

BOTH SIDES ISSUE LATE STATEMENTS

In Contest to Gain Control of Seats in Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29. — Political campaign statements continue to pour out today from Democratic and Republican leaders.

Representative Fess, chairman of the national Republican Congressional committee, replying to Secretary Tumulty's letter to the Cuyahoga county Republican committee at Cleveland, Ohio, said no previous President in history had made a request of the American electorate similar to that of President Wilson in his statement addressed to his fellow countrymen asking the return of a Democratic Congress.

Representative Ferris, chairman of the national Democratic Congressional committee, said the political controversy resolves itself simply into whether the American people desire to have the President backed up by a well trained military establishment to conduct the war or whether they wish it conducted by a political committee of unschooled, untrained men.

Two statements were issued by Homer S. Cummings, acting chairman of the Democratic national committee. One accused the Republicans of capitalizing the casualty list for political purposes by trying to show that twelve northern and eastern states lost five times as many soldiers in France as the twelve southern states. The other said that President Lincoln had made an appeal during the civil war similar to that by President Wilson and that such an appeal was made on behalf of President McKinley during the Spanish-American war.

WILL CO-OPERATE TO HURRY SHIPS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The navy department and the war industries board are to co-operate with the shipping board in getting into commission newly launched vessels needed to take care of the war department's enlarged military program.

These ships have been held up for lack of boilers and other fittings. Chairman Hurley announced today the war industries board had agreed to divert immediately materials from other uses to the manufacturers of the boilers and fittings, while the navy department will supply as much of such equipment as is possible.

Mr. Hurley also said that the fittings manufactured for smaller vessels will be employed for the larger craft wherever feasible and the commissioning of smaller vessels may be delayed temporarily.

The need at present, Mr. Hurley said, is for vessels of 10,000 tons and over. Construction of smaller vessels will proceed, he said, but not at the expense of the large freighters. Though no radical change will be made in the building program of the emergency fleet corporation at the present time, it was intimated that in the future the majority of contracts will be for the larger type of ships.

FARM LOAN BONDS INTEREST NOW 4 1-2

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29. — Farm loan bonds in the future will bear only 4½ per cent interest instead of 5 per cent, carried by the last block of more than $50,000,000 offered last May, it was stated today. Since these bonds, to be issued soon, will be absorbed entirely by the treasury, however, the reduction will have little practical effect on the market.

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This soap is made by the Palm Olive Co. It is an exceptionally good bath soap; lathers freely; 3 cakes for ..... 15¢

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Ladies' Collars & Sets

Extra good values in Venice lace collars and sets, in white and cream. These are a real 35c value. Many desirable designs at ..... 10¢

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A large assortment of pique and organdy collars and vestees; also many designs in filet collars and cuffs sets. Regular 65c and 75c values at 39¢

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A correct material for gowns, pajamas and petticoats. Double fleeced and proper weight.

35c Amoskeag Outing Flannel, 27 in. wide, fleeced on both sides—in white and stripes and checks and stripes ..... 25¢

Amoskeag Teazeldown Flannel, 27 in. wide—the heaviest and best outing flannel made—in stripes and checks ..... 35¢

25c Outing Flannels, genuine Amoskeag—fleeced on both sides, for gowns and pajamas, at ..... 19¢

40c White Outing Flannel, 36 in. wide, heavy fleeced on both sides ..... 29¢

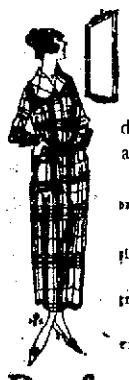
Cotton Batting, size 72x90—3 lbs. in weight—made of fine snow white cotton—all one piece—same on both sides, at $1.50

Amoskeag White Outing, 36 in. wide, heavy fleeced on both sides—the kind that gives the longest service ..... 39¢

Blankets and Comforters

Cotton Sheet Blankets, full size, heavy fleeced, firmly woven, white, tan, gray, pink and blue bordered—a pair $3.25

Wool finished Blankets, full size heavy nap, soft and warm—in gray and pink, and gray and blue—a pair $4.95



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Always at Christmas time Bath Robes are one of the leading items for holiday gifts, and this season we have made a careful selection in Bath Robes suitable for that purpose. Here are a few of our many kinds—

Wool blanket robes, in many different patterns and a variety of colors and sizes; button or loop fasteners. A good value at ..... $2.98 and $4.98

A robe with high collar or V neck, in plain pink or blue, also floral and plaid designs; silk and braid trimmed; all sizes from 16 to 46 bust ..... $5.98 to $15.98

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Padded vests, in black, lavender and white; a very convenient and comfortable warm wrap to slip under coat or suit and wear on cold mornings ..... 78¢–98¢–$1.48

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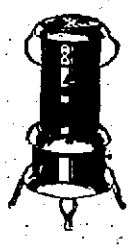

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Three styles priced at $6.25—$8.50—$10.25

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Tons and Tons of Toys for Girls & Boys

Never was this phrase more emphatic than it is right now.

Above all, this is to be a children's Christmas and American made toys are to meet the needs of America's children.

The toys of today are not the claptrap toys of bygone days, but here are toys that appeal to the mechanical imagination. Educational toys that the children will preserve.

We believe that no Christmas season has had more interesting toys to show, and we have never had a more varied selection—just the finest toys imaginable.

Remember the government's request—that you begin your Christmas shopping now and have it cover a longer period in order to save the congestion and relieve the burden on the mails and conserve help.

The children are invited to visit our toy department.

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LIEUT.-GOVERNOR C. C. YOUNG

Vote

For Governor, Wm. D. Stephens

For Lieut.-Governor, C. C. Young

Yes on Amendment No. 22

California Dry Federation

By J. E. Davis, Chairman

POLICE ARE ORDERED TO ARREST ALL WHO FAIL TO WEAR MASKS

City Council Meets at Mayor Toomey's Home and Adopts Stringent Ordinance—New Hospital to Open Today—124 New Cases in City

WHAT THE DOCTORS SAY

DR. CARL MATHEWSON—We are holding our own in the fight against the spread of influenza. The number of new cases has been held close to the 100 mark for the last few days. This means only that the epidemic has not been allowed to increase. But we cannot hold the daily number of cases at this point or reduce the number unless we have the full cooperation of the people.

DR. W. W. CROSS, in charge of the temporary hospitals—We have a greater number of patients at each hospital now than at any other time. But this is not a bad sign. It may mean only that a greater number of patients are receiving better care. I do not anticipate that we shall be able to get control of the situation for 10 to 14 days. Much depends upon the weather. A cold fog would set us back at least a week.

The police have been ordered to arrest every man, woman and child who appears in public in Fresno today without a mask. The board of trustees met last night at Mayor Toomey's home and adopted an ordinance making it a misdemeanor to appear in any public place without a mask. The penalty is a fine of not less than $25 and not more than $300, or not more than six months in jail. Both a fine and a jail term may be imposed.

The ordinance is to take effect immediately without printing, and a "public place" is construed to mean any street or park in Fresno, any store or place of business, any street car or omnibus.

"I have received orders to enforce the new ordinance beginning tomorrow morning and I shall see to it that it is enforced," said Chief of Police John G. Goehring last night. "I have instructed every officer and inspector in the city to arrest at once anyone found in a public place without a mask. I want it understood further that no mask is to be lowered or raised to allow the wearer to smoke a cigar, cigarette or pipe. The only trouble the police have had up to date has been with the persistent smokers and the few wilful men and women who refuse to submit to the wearing of a mask."

The stringent ordinance making it a misdemeanor to expose others to the contagion was passed by a full council. The meeting was attended by Drs. Hopkins, Lamkin and Hayden of the Board of Health and Health Officer Mathewson.

Mask Greatest Hope

"The wearing of masks," declared Dr. Mathewson, "is our greatest hope in checking the spread of the disease. There is a prevailing belief that an influenza epidemic comes, remains a certain period and then disappears. This is not true. There is no telling how long there may be influenza cases here. We can control, but it will take a long time to drive it out. It has been months since the first cases appeared in this country. Yet the disease is still raging in New York. It has spread from coast to coast. And after we feel we have the disease under sufficient control to warrant such action, I shall recommend that all passengers on incoming trains be thoroughly inspected before being permitted to remain in Fresno. It may be necessary to stop autos at the city limits. These steps have been taken elsewhere and suspected cases have been quarantined or watched by isolation until time for the influenza to develop or to prove that the suspicions were unfounded.

"Influenza is still raging furiously in Paris, in Ireland and at one other point, yet the epidemic has been prevalent in Paris since last spring. I make this statement not to cause undue alarm, but to waken the general public to a realization of the danger to the entire community if every case is not isolated.

Go to Hospital, Urges Doctor

"It should and must be regarded as a patriotic act for anybody with the influenza to go at once to a hospital. The reason is obvious. Neighbors run in to try to help their sick friend. Children climb onto the bed. They carry forth the germs from the sick room.

"We expect to get control of the epidemic within another ten days or two weeks, but to do so we must have the co-operation of every person in Fresno."

Dr. Mathewson declared that of those taken to the different hospitals none had died except those who were brought in too late to be saved. All deaths in hospitals, he said, had occurred within three to forty-eight hours after the patients had been brought in. In nearly every case the patients had not been taken to the hospitals until after pneumonia had developed.

The number of new cases reported in the city yesterday increased to 124, and the number of new cases reported in the county by County Physician G. L. Long were 23. One new pneumonia case was reported in the city and no deaths were recorded as caused by influenza, as undertakers failed to reply to Dr. Mathewson's request to report all cases to him.

"The situation looks a little better tonight," said Mathewson, "because of the cases brought in or reported only about 33 per cent were serious, which represents a considerable decrease. We cannot draw any safe conclusions from this decreased percentage, however, because it takes two or three days for the germs to incubate."

Mathewson Abandons Practice

Conditions, however, were so serious yesterday that Dr. Mathewson yesterday at the request of Mayor Toomey, abandoned his private practice. He asks all his patients to feel with him that he is doing best by serving the greatest number. Of course he has not given up attending any patient now in his care.

With every bed but one in every temporary and permanent hospital occupied tonight, a delirious mother was carried into the First Christian church hospital with a nursing babe in her arms. She was unable to give her name or that of any relative. Now and then she talked of her husband, but when asked his name she said she didn't know. Only a very thin thread holds the young mother to life.

And just as the last bed in all the hospitals of the city was being made ready to receive this poor woman, the clubhouse of the Parlor Lecture club was turned over to Dr. Mathewson and Dr. Cross and a squad of ten Home Guards in charge of Lieut. O. H. Forno and Sergeants Hughett and Wilson began preparing the club rooms for the reception of patients. They worked under the supervision of the two doctors and today 70 cots and full equipment will arrive from San Francisco for the new hospital.

Father Foin yesterday offered the Catholic Sisters' school and even the church, if necessary, for hospital purposes.

More Nurses Needed

Another appeal for nurses was sent out from the headquarters of the Board of Health and the Red Cross in the mayor's office yesterday. William Glass, president of the Fresno chapter of the Red Cross, spent the entire day at the mayor's office, as did Secretary L. J. Allen of the Merchants' Association. During the entire day they answered phone calls for doctors and for ambulances, planned the equipping of the Parlor Lecture Club as an additional emergency hospital and sent frantic calls in all directions for nurses.

"More nurses must be had at once," said Mr. Glass last night, "to care for the patients sent to the Parlor Lecture club temporary hospital. All volunteers are urged to telephone to the mayor's office—797. Nurses are needed as badly here as on the fronts in France. The life of many patients depends upon proper nursing."

BIG U. S. GUNS SHELL CONFLANS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY OF VERDUN, Oct. 29, 8 p.m.—(By the Associated Press.)—The American big guns cracked down on the main line of the railroad in the region of Conflans today, and also shelled a large enemy troop concentration in the neighborhood of Margiennes.

The Conflans line is important because it extends from Germany's principal communication line to Metz. The firing in the direction of Conflans continued intermittently throughout the day.

When a troop concentration was reported in the region of Bois De Villers and Margiennes, the guns were turned in that direction, hurling projectiles weighing approximately 1500 pounds each.

At intervals also the big guns inside the American lines shelled the territory around Spincourt and Dammary-Baroncourt, both important railway junctions.

American aviators successfully bombed two points today where German troops were being assembled. In the morning a squadron of bombers, accompanied by protecting machines, dropped projectiles on Montigny. The troops scattered and an ammunition dump was set on fire. The railroad yards were also damaged.

In the afternoon about fifty bombers attacked Damvillers, where other troops were concentrating. Observers reported a number of hits. About forty pursuit planes accompanied the bombers and engaged in many combats. Nine German machines were brought down. Three American planes are missing.

GERMANS PACKING TO QUIT BRUSSELS

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM, Oct. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—Between October 10 and 22 various administrative departments were packing up and leaving Brussels for Germany. According to prisoners Brussels is shortly to be evacuated and a line established between Antwerp and Namur.

CHINESE TO ATTEND MILITARY ACADEMY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Congress has been asked by President Wilson to pass a resolution permitting Zeng Tze Wong, a citizen of China, to attend West Point military academy. A joint resolution has been introduced in both houses.

"Passage of the resolution," said the president in a communication accompanying the resolution, "would be regarded as an act of courtesy by the government of China."

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Baron Beaverbrook, chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and head of the propaganda department of the British government has resigned, according to official announcement made here today. In a letter to Premier Lloyd George, tendering his resignation, Baron Beaverbrook says it is due to ill health and the necessity of undergoing an operation for enlarged glands.

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No Hallowe'en Is Edict of Mathewson To Halt the "Flu"

There'll be no Hallowe'en for the kiddies. Health officer Mathewson last night decreed that the "flu" has called off all the Hallowe'en pranks, and small boys and small girls may not congregate on the street corners.

"It is very necessary that Hallowe'en observance be entirely abandoned this year," announced Dr. Mathewson last night, "we do not want anything done that may cause the further spread of germs. I urge all parents to keep their children at home. The police have been instructed to send any children home who are found on the streets."

CAFES CLOSE EARLY TO CONSERVE FOOD

To conserve food and labor, nearly all cafes and restaurants in the city closed voluntarily at 9 o'clock last night in response to an appeal from County Food Administrator George S. Waterman.

The following restaurants closed last night: Fortin Cafe, French Cafe, Valley Grill, Hart's and Shuck's Cafe, The Hughes hotel cafe, Leon's lunch room and Italo's announced that they had begun earlier closing before the request was made.

AMERICANS BETTER MEUSE POSITIONS

WITH THME AMERICAN ARMY NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 29, 9 p.m.—(By the Associated Press.)—The American troops improved their positions in the region of Ancreville and east of the Meuse today. The artillery was active on both sides, which now is almost a daily occurrence.

Around Waville the Germans attempted a local counter attack, but were repulsed. An officer and four German privates were taken prisoner.

There was fierce fighting near Belleau wood, which the Americans hold.

The Americans guns replied to the enemy battery around Bois L'Ecurey, Reville and Chaumont. The Germans also shelled Rambecourt and Cunel.

Fires burned most of the day in the neighborhood of Dun, Andre, Andrevanne and Doulcon, which are believed to have been caused by American bombs or shells.

There are no indications that the Germans are withdrawing.

The Americans have concentrated their positions in the Grand Pre sector, firmly establishing themselves on the southern edges of Bourgogne wood. Talma and Bellejoiouse farms are in No Man's Land.

STARVING RUSSIANS THRONG FINLAND

STOCKHOLM, Saturday, Oct. 26.—The overflow into Scandinavia of Russian refugees seeking asylum in Finland has created such a problem that Dr. Hellner, the Swedish foreign minister, has taken up the question with Great Britain, informing England that Sweden has refused to receive a new invasion of the Russians.

Thousands of victims of the Bolshevik regime have fled into Finland and have compelled the Finnish population to divide with them the already meager supplies of food. The food situation has become so serious in Finland as to endanger public health. Some time ago the Finnish government asked Norway and Sweden to give shelter to some of the Russians.

The housing problem in Sweden and Norway also is very bad, even if the food difficulties could be overcome.

In some government circles in Sweden it is declared that the only radical solution of the Russian problem would be to send the whole stream to America, as Europe for some time will not be able to feed and shelter the Russians. Most of the refugees belong to the former well-to-do classes in Russia.

MANY REPORT LOW CAMPAIGN COSTS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Many candidates for election to the House, both Democrats and Republicans report they have not spent a penny.

Among them are Republican Leader Mann and Former Speaker Cannon, both of Illinois, and Acting Republican Leader Gillett of Massachusetts. Chairman Fess of the Republican Congressional campaign committee, also reports he has made no expenditures as does his Democratic opponent, George H. Thorne. Chairman Ferris of the Democratic committee, says he has spent $75, while Democratic Leader Kitchener reports the expenditure of a like sum. Speaker Clark of Missouri has spent $459.

In Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Maryland, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia, no expenses have been incurred by the candidates most of whom are unopposed. The largest expenditure reported by Democratic candidates is $3,779 by W. D. Upshaw of Georgia. He was the only Georgia candidate reporting expenditures.

In Colorado and other western states several candidates report expenses averaging about $1,000 each while among the western candidates reporting no expenses is Representative Johnson of Washington, now a captain in the chemical warfare section.

REFUSES TO AID THE LIVINGSTONS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Declaring that he lacked jurisdiction and that the petition would have to be filed in the federal district court in Los Angeles, Judge Erskine M. Ross, of the United States circuit court of appeals, denied today the application made by Earl Rogers on behalf of Benjamin and Robert Livingston, young Los Angeles business men, for a writ of habeas corpus.

The young men recently were extradited from Venezuela as suspected draft evaders. Local draft boards in Los Angeles a few days ago held them as deserters and turned them over to the military authorities.

Arrivals Overseas

Top—Ernest Greening, Sergeant Joseph S. Williams, Bugler Lee S. Renfroe.
Bottom—Ian McGillivray, Irwin L. Pollard, Alexander McGillivray.

Ian C. McGillivray and Alexander McGillivray are overseas. They are twins and are sons of Mrs. Duncan McGillivray of Kerman. Alexander joined the Canadian Engineering corps in March, and is now in England. He wrote that he is to get a short furlough soon and expects to visit friends in Scotland. Ian C. McGillivray is in the quartermaster corps of the United States army and is now in France. He writes that he much admires that beautiful country.

Mrs. A. R. Brown of Fowler has received word that her youngest son, Milton Pollard, is now in France. He is a member of the 19th Salvage squad. Her eldest son, Irvin Pollard, is in the 152nd Aero squadron, and is now stationed at Oxford, England.

Inspector J. M. Greening of the Fresno police department announces that he has received word of the safe arrival in France of his brother, Ernest Greening. Greening was formerly of Fresno and Tranquillity, and is now a member of the Forty-fifth aviation corps. His mother, Mrs. Henry Bobos, lives in Tranquillity. He enlisted in Fresno several months ago, and was sent to Camp Wise, San Antonio, Texas. From there he left for Newport News, where he was stationed previous to his departure for Europe.

Relatives of Bugler Lee S. Renfroe in Fowler have received word of his safe arrival in France. He writes that he had an interesting trip across the ocean. He is with Company B, Sixty-ninth Engineers.

Sergeants Joseph S. Williams of Battery A, Seventy-fifth regiment. He enlisted at Beloit, Wis., in November, 1917, and was first sent to Jefferson barracks, Missouri, and since April, 1918, he was stationed at Fort Caswell, North Carolina, up to the time of his departure for France. He is the only son of Mrs. Carl W. Tinkham of Laton.

GERMANS REMOVING FROM BUCHAREST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—An official dispatch from Switzerland today said several hundred German officials had arrived at Vienna in the last few days from occupied Rumania, and reported that not a single German civilian remained in Bucharest. The German military authorities in the city are sending to Germany as rapidly as possible all the stores and materials collected by their troops.

LISBON, Portugal, Oct. 29—In recognition of his services to the Allied cause and as a mark of respect and honor, the municipal government of Lisbon have voted unanimously to name one of the city's most prominent highways after President Wilson. The street, a wide and residential avenue, has been called "Avenida Das Cortes," but now will be known as "Avenida Presidente Wilson." It extends from the River Tagus to the house of parliament and is one of the city's chief arteries.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 29—Flying at an average speed of more than two miles a minute, James M. Schoonmaker, Jr., son of the vice president of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad, covered the distance of 228 miles from the Wright flying field at Dayton, Ohio, to Pittsburg, in one hour and 45 minutes. Schoonmaker was piloted by Howard Rinehart. The flight, which was made in a DeHaviland four battleplane, is believed to be a record.

PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. Sciaroni, who has been ill with the influenza for the past week, has recovered.

William C. Underhill of Oilfields is registered at the Hughes.

J. J. Scott of San Francisco is a registrant at the Fresno hotel.

D. Notara registered at the Hughes yesterday from San Francisco.

E. Rinicker of Coalinga is stopping at the Sequoia.

W. E. Whitington, manager of the San Joaquin Light and Power Company of Los Banos, is registered at the Fresno hotel.

W. B. Park of Modesto is registered at the Sequoia.

H. D. Stark and family of San Francisco are registered at the Hughes. Stark is connected with a rubber company and will make his future headquarters in Fresno.

BORN.

LEACH—At Fresno, October 26, 1918, to the wife of K. L. Leach, a son.

DEATHS.

REED—At Fort Omaha, Neb., Maurice A. Reed, gunner with the 46th Balloon Company, loving son of Mr. and Mrs. Phil P. Reed of 1475 Belmont avenue and brother of Mrs. Marvin McFarland of Los Angeles. The remains are expected to reach Fresno this evening and for the funeral services friends will meet at the funeral home of the Powell Undertaking company, 1439 Van Ness avenue, Thursday, October 31, at 2 p. m. and proceed to the Fresno crematory, where services will be held on the lawn followed by cremation. Rev. Chas. Laurent Reel will officiate and Mr. F. Caldwell Hicks will sing.

BLUE—In Fresno City, October 28, 1918, 335 L street, George Albert Blue, beloved husband of Mrs. Mabel Blue and loving father of Margaret Blue; a native of Kentucky, aged 57 years, 2 months and 27 days. The funeral cortege will leave the chapel of Stephens & Bean this (Wednesday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, thence to Mountain View cemetery where services will be held at the grave side.

GIBSON—In Clovis, October 28, 1918, Emily Annis Gibson, loving wife of Lewis W. Gibson, loving mother of Clyde and Susan of Clovis and Fred and Floyd at Fort Monroe, Va. She is also survived by her father and mother and four brothers and three sisters, all of Springfield, Missouri, with the exception of W. T. Kerr of Oakdale, native of Missouri, aged 52 years. Friends wishing to pay their respects are invited to call at the home Thursday morning between the hours of 10 and 12. Funeral services will be held at the Clovis cemetery Thursday, October 31, 1918, at 2 p. m. Arthur Bolen, funeral director.

ROYAJIAN—Near Lane's Bridge, Fresno county, October 29, 1918, M. E. Royajian, beloved husband of Kohar, loving father of Ardavazd, Hall and Sona Royajian; a native of Armenia, aged 54 years. Notice of funeral later. Remains now at the funeral parlors of Stephens & Bean.

PIPPIN—In Patterson, Cal., October 28, 1918, Chas. Flood Pippin, beloved husband of Margaret, loving father of Ethel, Florence and Elizabeth Pippin, son of J. H. and Dora Pippin and brother of Mrs. R. H. Lewis, a native of Kansas, aged 28 years 4 months and 4 days. Remains will arrive in Fresno Friday afternoon. Notice of funeral to be announced later by Stephens & Bean, funeral directors.

HOEST—In San Francisco, October 29, 1918, Walter Hoest, beloved brother of Emil Hoest, nephew of Nis and cousin of Asmus Hansen of Fresno City, a native of Denmark, aged 32 years, 8 months and 12 days. The remains will be shipped to Fresno for funeral services and interment. Funeral notice to be announced later by Stephens & Bean, funeral directors.

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HAYASHI RESIGNS.

TOKYO, Oct. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—Baron Gonsuke Hayashi, minister to China, has resigned. He will be succeeded by Yukichi Obata, former charge in the affairs of the legation at Peking.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29—The price-fixing committee of the war industries board today continued existing prices for New England spruce lumber until December 1, abandoning because of the influenza, the usual meeting with the industry to agree on prices for three months.

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HAWSON OR BARBOUR

Henry Hawson is appealing to the people of this district to elect him because he is a "Democrat," and President Wilson wants Democrats in Congress.

That appeal might go down in some districts. But not in this. For we have a Democrat in Congress already, and we know, by our experience with this misrepresentative, how little mere Democracy means, in supporting the President, or the war, or anything else.

Most people have forgotten it, but this district has a representative in Congress now. His name is D. Sam Church, and he is a Democrat. And that Democrat has already disgraced this district by voting against the war, against conscription and against everything else that President Wilson wanted, for the proper conduct of the war and the safety and self-respect of America. The only redeeming thing in his record is the ending thereof. He had decency not to insult the district by asking it to re-elect him. But if he were the Democratic nominee—and some as bad are—President Wilson's appeal would apply to him as well as it would to a loyal man. For President Wilson has appealed, not for loyal Democrats, nor against disloyal Republicans, but for any sort of Democrats, even the D. Sam type, against any sort of Republicans, even the Julius Kahn type. Which only shows how foolish the President's appeal is. In allowing himself to become the mouthpiece of narrow partisan job-seekers, the President has momentarily contracted himself to their caliber.

We do not say that Henry Hawson is the Denver Church type of Democrat. He isn't. Though not born in America, he is a loyal American, and he is personally for the war. If he had any claim to election it would be based, not on his Democracy, but on his loyalty. And Harry E. Barbour is loyal, too, and belongs to a party which has never disgraced this district by disloyalty. If Democracy has earned any credit anywhere, it is not here. Hawson is unfortunate in his party inheritance.

On the war, Barbour would support the President as loyally as Hawson, and more so. For Barbour would stand for a peace of unconditional surrender, whether Wilson asked for it or not; Hawson would stand for only just such fraction of it as the President asked. Lloyd-George and Clemenceau and Foch are holding our President firm on one side. We need men in Congress who will support him in the same way on this side. Barbour would do that; Hawson would not.

Furthermore, if Hawson is in Congress, he will vote for Champ Clark, ante-war pacifist and anti-Wilsonite, for Speaker, and for Claude Kitchin, pacifist, disloyalist to his party, to the nation and to the President, narrow, ignorant, sectional, partisan, for House leader and head of the Ways and Means committee. Barbour will vote for loyal, capable representative Americans for both of these positions.

Moreover, the principal part of the work of the next Congress will be, not war, nor even peace, but reconstruction. And on that both candidates have records already. When California was undergoing its reconstruction and most even of the Democrats in the legislature joined in the non-partisan coalition supporting Governor Johnson, Hawson was the leader of the anti-progressive, anti-Johnson, partisan Democratic faction, and joined with the stand-pat Republican faction in their war on Johnson. Barbour, at the same time, was a militant supporter of Johnson and his policies. Now comes the time when the nation will be reconstructed, on progressive or reactionary lines. The same man, Hiram W. Johnson, will be the leader of the progressive forces in Congress. This district will either support or oppose him. It will depend on whether it now elects Hawson who opposed him, or Barbour who supported him, before in California.

There will be political and economic questions, in which this district is acutely interested. The war has suspended the tariff question, by itself constituting the completest protective tariff ever known. That situation will end with the restoration of peace. There is no district in America more vitally interested in the preservation of protection than this district. Shall those interests be committed to Henry Hawson, of free-trade antecedents and affiliations, born in a free-trade country, belonging to a free-trade party, and servile to an anti-protective President, or to Harry E. Barbour, lifelong protectionist, and member of the protectionist party?

President Wilson does not know or care anything about Henry Hawson, nor about this district. He has merely been inveigled, by partisans, into making a shallow partisan utterance, unworthy of him. Shall loyalty to the President, in the great things, mislead us into following him also in the smallest and least independent thing he ever did—especially in this district, where our own experience has demonstrated its fallacy more clearly than anywhere else?

If this district district votes its own mind, expresses its own principles, and regards its own interests, it will elect Harry E. Barbour to Congress.

And it will thereby be rendering the most loyal possible support to the great President Wilson, whom the world admires—and loyally as well as charitably overlooking the petty partisan Wilson, who allowed himself for a moment to descend from his high place.

DOCTORS ANSWERED

Many Fresno physicians are now distributing among their patients circulars printed in San Francisco by an alleged "League for the Conservation of Public Health," which is really an anti-health-insurance campaign committee. This scheme of distribution was devised by the campaign committee, and is now being used all over the state. The assumption is that if the physicians ask their patients to vote against a new and easier way of paying doctors' bills, they will do so. We doubt if the influence of the doctors, on this particular question, is as great as it properly is on many others.

Since these Fresno physicians did not invent the arguments they are sending out, and for the most part know nothing about them, there is no reproach to the individual physicians whose names are rubber-stamped to the circulars in pointing out that the arguments are all mistaken, many of them ignorant, and some of them mendacious.

There are 20 numbered paragraphs in the circular. Let us, as briefly as possible, point out and answer them all.

(1-5) Numbers 1 to 5 are all the same—that Health Insurance is "German," and will divide our people into classes.

The "German" fling is a mere cheap appeal to prejudice. The very San Francisco doctors who wrote it never make it in their speeches to intelligent audiences. In fact, they disclaim it there. But they have less respect for the intelligence of the patients of Fresno physicians, and they therefore supply them with this argument, to distribute to these patients. It is an undeserved imputation. Certainly a system which exists in England, and without which English physicians say they could never meet the emergencies of war, can not be set aside by the mere cheap fling that it also exists in Germany. It also exists in Holland and Switzerland, and in a partial form in France, Italy, Russia, the Scandinavian countries, Australia, New Zealand, and many other countries. Some of these countries started with a "voluntary" system, but Switzerland, the most democratic country on earth, has changed to a compulsory system since the war, and New Zealand, after a study of English experience, is contemplating doing so. The measure will not "divide America into classes." It will merely recognize existing facts, as the workmen's compensation laws and many others already do. The labor unions, who would represent, if any one does, the "class" discriminated against, are for it.

(6). **"Every American state that has considered it has rejected it."**

The only American state where the people have voted on the direct issue was Massachusetts, and there the people voted for it. A partisan Democratic legislature, to embarrass Governor McCall, turned it down.

(7) **"The best English authorities condemn it as disastrous to the public health and a costly mistake."**

The "best English authorities" referred to consist of one pamphleteer. The British Medical Association, after careful investigation, reports a practically unanimous conclusion to the exact contrary. No one in England has even proposed to repeal the law, and two members of the British parliament stated to the Social Insurance Commission of California that any attempt to do so would precipitate a social revolution.

(8) **"Compulsory Health Insurance redeems none of its rainbow promises."**

Meaningless. Its chief promise is to make it easier to pay doctors' bills, and no one denies that it does that. In fact, that is the doctor's objection to it.

(9) **"It does not prevent or reduce sickness or poverty."**

Experience shows that it is the most efficient means yet devised for preventing sickness. It can not prevent all poverty, but it does greatly reduce it, and it removes the cause of more than half of outright destitution.

(10) **"It has no preventive or permanent value, and refuses its poor relief benefits to the poor who need them most."**

It offers no "poor relief" to anybody. It is a measure of self-respecting, self-supporting justice, for the self-supporting workers. Those who must be cared for at the public expense are another problem. It is nothing against health insurance that it still leaves society to solve that problem. The paupers will be, even temporarily, no worse off than they are now, and health insurance is the first step in a system of social insurance, the later steps of which will care for them, too. It is nothing against a first step that it is not also the last. Workmen's compensation did not solve all problems, either, but it did solve one, and that was its justification. Health insurance solves the next and much larger one. There still remain old age, invalidity and unemployment, none of which health insurance attempts to solve. The later steps of social insurance will do so.

(11) **"The proposed enabling act will forfeit present constitutional rights, prevent patients from selecting their physicians and enable prying politicians to invade the homes of the compulsorily insured."**

Neither the enabling act, nor any legislation proposed under it, will do any of these things. The legal question is too elaborate to be argued here, but it has already been fully discussed in The Republican. All the assertions made in the above paragraph (11) are nonsense.

(12) **"It will demoralize the medical profession, and physicians will then succeed, not by medical skill, but by skilled politics."**

What these physicians are really afraid of is that it will "demoralize" their personal incomes. We do not suppose their patients would worry if it did, but it will not. They will make from $3,500 to $10,000 a year out of their insurance practice, and all they can get out of the rest of their practice. As to demoralizing the profession, and making success depend on other elements than skill, that is the situation right now. English experience shows that health insurance improved the condition of the profession in both of those respects, besides increasing their personal incomes.

(13) **"It will proclaim to the world the damaging statement that two-thirds of the people of California are incapable of taking care of themselves and require a Social Insurance Commission to be their guardian."**

This is pure guff. Most of the people of California are capable of taking care of themselves when well. Most of them, in California and everywhere else, have difficulty in taking care of themselves when sick, and if the sickness is long continued, its financial loss is practically beyond the capacity of any wage worker of ordinary income. That is the reason they want to meet it by insurance, paying when well and drawing benefits when sick.

(14) **"It will change California from being the nations' health resort to a malingering resort for those afflicted with tuberculosis, syphilis, and sad 'social diseases'."**

Of course it will do nothing of the sort. Proper residence requirements will prevent dumping the sick of other states on us. But if social insurance is so desirable that outsiders would like to flock here for it, if they could, is it not a good thing for us who are here, and can have its benefits?

(15) **"It will compel the thrifty to pay for the thriftless; tax the virtuous for the vices of the vicious, make the temperate pay for the excesses of the intemperate, place a penalty upon success and a premium upon failure."**

This is mostly "language." We are doing all of these things now, extravagantly and inefficiently. To whatever extent they would continue under Health Insurance, they would at least have the advantage of being cheaper, and of really meeting the social evils in question.

(16) **"It unjustly makes all pay the same rate, regardless of risks, age, occupation, benefits, character, conditions, etc."**

Whether this "would be "unjust" is debatable. The English system does most of these things; the German system few of them. If the doctors think the German system preferable, they may recommend it to the legislature. The California commission proposes a plan which will avoid any of the real injustices in the English plan.

(17) **"It will cost the taxpayers from $40,000,000 to $50,000,000 a year. This is no time for such expensive experiments."**

It will not cost the "taxpayers" $50,000,000, or $1,000,000 or any other sum, and the authors of this circular know it. It will, in fact, save them at least $1,000,000 a year on their present taxes. Whatever social insurance costs, it will cost the premium-payers; not the taxpayers. And it will cost them nothing that is not being paid now. The cost of sickness is being met now. It will merely distribute it more easily and equitably.

(18) **"Every dollar counts today and is needed to win the battle of Liberty."**

Certainly. Health insurance is a way of making the dollar count further, and helping win the battle of Liberty.

(19) **"Are not taxes and the cost of living high enough in this war year?"**

They are. Health insurance is one way of making them lower.

(20) **"We have millions, yes, billions for Liberty Bonds—for defense of American rights and ideals—but not one cent to pay tribute to the kaiser's invention—Compulsory Health and Insurance."**

Pure demagogic bluff, and an intentional insult to the intelligence of readers. We will not aggravate the insult by answering it.

Finally, **"Vote to preserve your American rights."**

The only "right" involved is the right of the doctor to collect his fees from the patient individually, instead of from the insurance fund collectively. Health insurance changes nothing else, on the medical side. But it does enable the worker to continue to draw wages, when he is sick, so that he can pay the landlord, and the grocer, as well as the doctor.

If you have received a circular from your doctor, read this, too. Then do your own thinking.

PULL THESE DOWN!

When the Allied troops march in triumph through Berlin, of course there will be strict orders against vandalism. No destruction or looting will be permitted. Berlin will be safer in the hands of its conquerors than with its own troops.

But there should be two exceptions.

One is the Siegessaeule, or Column of Victory, in the great transverse avenue of the Thiergarten. This is a huge column with a gilded statue of Victory on top, cast from the brass of captured French cannon, girdling the flutings of the column, tier on tier, are other captured French cannon, still intact. For forty-five years that column has stood there, an insolent gloating over conquered France. It should be knocked down, by French cannon emplaced in the Thiergarten, and every ounce of metal in it should be carried back to France, while its stones should be so shattered that they can never again be laid one on another.

The other exception is the central arch of the Brandenburger Thor, through which only the Kaiser may pass. The side arches are the people's arches, and they should be untouched. But the pediment of the Kaiser's arch should come down, its stones so sawn that they can never be replaced, and with these stones a wall across the bottom should be built, in symbol that the way of Kaiserism is now blocked. Then, when the Germans take down this wall and rebuild the arch with new stones, it will be a people's arch, and the people will go through it.

And the huge bronze chariot of Victory, with its four bronze horses, on top of the central arch, should be carried off to France, and placed on top of the Arc de Triomphe, in Paris.

No vandalism in Berlin—except this. But these two symbols, one the insolent flaunting of conquest over the French, and the other the arrogant symbol of Kaiserism to the German people, should come down.

CAPTURED BOCHES BRINGING IN WOUNDED CANADIAN SOLDIER

Canadian Official, from Western Newspaper Union.

A Canadian official photograph which shown two German prisoners bringing in a wounded Canadian soldier along a shell tron road in France. On the right and left may be seen three auto transports that have been destroyed by accurate shell fire. The three in the center are crossing the high points of the danger zone.

CONDEMN EXCESS

One of the measures which ought by all means to receive an approving vote on the ballot next Tuesday is Proposition No. 25, known as "Eminent Domain" but more accurately described as "excess condemnation."

This amendment was proposed by the League of California Municipalities, and was unanimously passed by the legislature. It provides that when land is condemned for a public purpose, as for a park, boulevard or new street, adjacent property may also be acquired, if desirable. At present, the right of the public is confined to the land actually covered by the improvement.

The need of such a power has frequently been demonstrated in Fresno. When, for instance, streets had to be straightened or opened, between the old and new parts of the city, there were frequently small triangular patches left, which the city could not acquire, but which in that form were worthless to anybody else. If the city could have acquired and replatted the whole adjacent ground, and then resold what was not needed, much expense and confusion would have been saved.

A similar situation occurs when a city desires to open a street or alley through an unimproved block in one direction, when the lots have already been plotted, and acquired by separate ownership, in the opposite direction. Sometimes the individual injustices, in such an opening, are so great as to prevent it from being made, or to require the payment of large damages. If the city can acquire the block, replot the lots, and then resell them, perhaps to the same owners at the same prices, the change can be made with justice, efficiency and economy.

Still another occasion is the widening of a street. The shorter lots, after the street is widened, may really be worth more than the long lots before. But there is no way to widen it except to pay for the end-strip actually occupied. If the power to condemn the entire lots existed, the land would usually be given for nothing; or, if it were not, the lots could be condemned and the unused parts resold, probably to the original owners.

Another advantage, especially in laying out parks, is that adjacent lots can be acquired, and then, on resale, be confined to buildings and uses suitable to the neighborhood.

And, finally, when an improvement greatly increases the value of adjacent property, that value can be used for the benefit of the public, which creates it. The original owner is not injured, if it is taken at the value it now has. The new owner is not injured, if he has to pay the value it has after the improvement. And the difference will help pay, and may sometimes entirely pay, for the improvement itself.

The great boulevards of London and Paris were made possible, and were largely financed, by this method. The power exists for cities in New York, Rhode Island, Wisconsin, Massachusetts and Ohio. It is no experiment, and California can not do better than to follow these good examples.

THE CURE OF FEAR

Editor, Republican: In editorials of the 25th you point out that fear and worry encourage contagion and disease and then state that a certain number of your townspeople will fall victims of the present epidemic. Yet, permit me to say, not one individual is predestined to have this influenza, nor is there any over-ruling necessity that any person should contract it.

Every health system, whatever its doctrines or remedies, recognizes the possibility of escape for everybody, whereas the man who dwells in the secret place of the most High, and all who choose may at least approach that place of abode, lives above the seeming ravages of disease. Over and over again this has been proved, notably in the case of persons who, caring for others, have gone through pestilences unharmed.

The proposition that a definite number of people will succumb to influenza is nothing if not fear-inspiring, although of course it was made without any such purpose. If such dens were withheld, and in their place the truth were thought and voiced, there would be an end of fear and contagion. Surely it should be conceded by this time that it is not what goes into a man that matters, but what goes out of him in the form of words and thoughts. O for a mask that would strain and cleanse these exhalations of the human mind ere they are let loose to prey upon an unprotected world!

Probably there is no one who has not at some time discerned the great truth that he has dominion over fear and disease and that he has only to exercise that authority in order to rise superior to their supposed laws and power. The man who lives in that consciousness, or, in other words, who gains the true sense of being, will no more take on or absorb contagion than will the man of integrity take property which does not belong to him. The real man is as immune from disease as he is from dishonesty; they are unreal and unknown to him.

It is all well enough to say don't worry and don't be afraid; but the only cure for fear and worry is to learn that there is no occasion for them. Every thinking person realizes that there is a creative, governing power back of all things, which power is good and excludes all other supposed powers and influences. The seeming presence of other opposing forces should then be regarded simply as a veil which obscures the actual presence of good and harmony.

Logic, intuition, revelation—all avenues of information except the deceitful human senses—testify of omnipresent and omnipotent good. If we accept this higher testimony and reject the testimony of the five senses (which is the precise process of ordinary observation as well as of scientific research, the basis of fear, and of disease also, is removed, and they disappear from consciousness just as do other illusions and vagaries when confronted by facts and truth.

PETER V. ROSS.

If a certain number of bullets are fired at an army, a certain proportion are going to be hit by them, and some of these are going to die. There is no such thing as "escape for everybody" from the bullets, even though it is certain that nearly all will survive, and nobody is afraid. If people eat toadstools for mushrooms, a certain number will die, even though no one is afraid, nor knows there is danger. Influenza germs are smaller, but they are just as real, and are poisonous in the same way. If they are planted in millions of noses, a considerable number are sure to succumb, fear or no fear. If "the only cure for fear and worry is to learn that there is no occasion for them," then, in this epidemic, the only cure for fear is to learn a line. For there is real danger, and whoever convinces himself that there is not deceives himself. It takes a finer courage to face the truth and fear not than it does to hide from the truth and pretend there is nothing to be afraid of.—Editor Republican.

WAR DEMOCRATIZES THE BRITISH ARMY

LONDON.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—One result of the war has been to democratize the British army, and it is regarded as practically certain that after peace has been declared England will have a large standing army in which a large number of men of birth and education will be serving in the ranks.

Before the South African war the private was "a man of no social account." He was forbidden entry to what corresponded to the American "orchestra" of a theater, and was told that his proper place was the gallery.

The real democratisation of the army began when Lord Kitchener summoned the whole people of England to serve in the king's forces. With the calling of every class, differences of social caste became obliterated.

Officers of the old regime contend that there can be no effectual military discipline if officers and men fraternize socially. The other night a general saw one of his officers dining at a famous London restaurant with a private soldier. He tok the officer aside and expostulated with him on his infraction of the army code. The officer's answer was, "The soldier is my brother."

England today has many of her proudest sons in the ranks, among then the Earl of Crawford, who is serving as a hospital orderly. Some of these again and again have refused commissions.

FOOD ADMINISTRATOR

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Loon C. Clough, of Quincy, has been appointed county food administrator for Plumas county, succeeding H. H. Waterhouse. Federal Food Administrator Ralph P. Merritt announced today. Donald W. Williams, of Redwood City, has been appointed county food administrator of San Mateo county, succeeding Lee T. Ross, who has entered military service.

MONT CLEMENS, Mich., Oct. 29.—Lieutenants Oliver P. Jackson of Buffalo, N. Y., and Andrew Sivley of Raymond, Miss., were killed at Selfridge Field today when their airplane crashed to earth from a height of 1000 feet. The cause of the accident has not been determined.

Dr. Howard, dentist, 601-602 Bank of Italy building.
—Advertisement.

Fresno's Yesterdays

Taken From the Files of the FRESNO REPUBLICAN

Forty Years Ago.

Last Monday work was commenced on C. W. DeLong & Co.'s new building. It is to be of brick, one story high, 75 feet in length and 30 feet front. When completed it will add materially to the appearance of Mariposa street, and also be an ornament to the town. Brick buildings are a great benefit to any new town, and are indicative of wealth and prosperity, and if more of our business men would only follow in the same direction, it would give our city an appearance of thrift and permanency.

The wild geese have already begun to fly southward, and their cries as they pass over town have been heard for several days past. Whether this betokens an "early" or "late" winter we cannot say. The weather sharps have the fact to figure on.

Twenty Years Ago.

City Marshal Woy has arranged a new police detail for November. The officers changed beats last night at 12 o'clock. During the present month their beats will be as follows: Headquarters, night, Henry Russell; Chinatown, Antone George, south of Tulare street, night; R. P. Russell, north of Tulare street, night; Pat Hennelly, day; J and K streets, night, Samuel Walton; I and H streets, depot and train, night, W. S. McSwain; Mariposa street from H to K and I to J streets from Tulare to Fresno, night, J. D. Morse; south of Mariposa street, day, George Mathieson, and north of Mariposa street, day, W. S. Smith. Mounted, on east side, night, W. B. Parker. Mounted, on west side, night, J. L. Flores.

Ten Years Ago.

Mr. Dooley on "Happiness"—"Well, sir, 'tis a turble problem this here wan iv human onhappiness. If Tiddy Rosenfeldt finds out th' causes iv it he'll be th' gr-reatest man since Moses. Some folks say th' on'y way to be happy is to wurrk. Maybe that accounts fr th' onhappiness among th' farmers. Perhaps they wud be merryer if some implyment cud be found fir thim, preferably in th' open air. Some say 'tis money; they're poor. Some say 'tis simple human society; which accounts fir th' happiness that prevails in all large cities. Some say selfishness will make ye happy. I've thried it. It didn't cure me. Other people say unselfishness, but that's no more thin to say that ye can on'y be happy be givin' up something that wud make ye happy. The nearest ye get to happiness is in wantin' something badly and thinkin' ye have a chance to get it and not gettin' it. If ye got it ye'll be onhappy."

NOTICE.

Dr. Allen Jackson's Dental Office closed on account of illness. Watch this paper for re-opening announcement.
—Advertisement.

We are as unprepared for peace as we were for war. Overwhelming problems will confront us on the cessation of hostilities. War industry will suddenly cease. The transformation of our commerce and industries from a war to a peace basis, without demoralization and a long period of depression, presents a big problem. The period of reconstruction following the war will require courageous, constructive legislation.

We should begin now to prepare for those conditions, so that prosperity shall continue and the boys returning from Europe shall be given every opportunity to re-enter civil life under the most favorable circumstances.

H. E. BARBOUR

Of Fresno, Republican for Congress, 7th District

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Business Men's Club Will Study Military for the Pleasure of It

A new military company is being formed in Fresno. An organization is being perfected, to be known as the Business Men's Military Training Club, and 125 members have already signed, it was announced after a meeting last night. The objects of the new club were set forth by members to be the following: To secure the benefits and pleasures of military training for men whose business duties heretofore prevented them from attending other drills. To form a permanent organization. To promote closer fellowship between men. To promote the patriotic organization of the citizenship for national defense.

The committee which met at the office of Geo. H. Wilson in the Cory building last night was composed of the following: Mr. Wilson, R. D. Burns, Arthur Graff, Chas. Fink, William McKinley, J. J. Ambrose, W. M. Mills, C. J. McCarthy and Bart Harvey. The committee decided to complete the enrollment of a company immediately, and to hold regular weekly meetings and drills. Captain S. L. Gallaher was selected drill master.

The first organization meeting will be held at the band stand in Courthouse park, at 7:30 o'clock Friday night. The regular drill night will be set later. All who have signed with the organizers are expected to drill Friday night. A headquarters will be decided upon in a few days.

MERCHANTS TO ASK NEW LIGHT RULES

Consideration of the present regulations regarding the lighting of streets came up before the Merchants' Association at its regular meeting held yesterday. With the earlier hour of sunset, it was stated by the members that the present regulations were not suitable. It was decided to instruct the secretary to interview the fuel administrator regarding lighting the stores between 5 and 6 o'clock on "lightless Mondays and Tuesdays," and to issue a bulletin to the members on the result of the interview.

It was stated that the association had been asked by the War Savings Stamp committee to contribute $1000 to aid in defraying the expenses of the war stamp campaign.

The association also began its preparations for the Christmas season by agreeing to sign the contract for trees with L. D. Childers of Auberry for a supply of Christmas trees.

EMPTY HOUSE TAKES FIRE

Fire believed to have originated from small boys smoking under the kitchen floor, caused a run of the fire apparatus to an empty house at 844 M street about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The flames were extinguished before any damage was done.

Appeal for Fruit for Convalescent Boys in Barracks

The Fresno Chamber of Commerce has received an appeal through one of its members for fruits of all kinds for the boys who are convalescing in the barracks at Berkeley. The notice received stated that Berkeley people had supplied hundreds of sheets and pillows, but asked that communities such as Fresno take care of providing fruits and other commodities which are more plentiful in the valley than around the bay.

Secretary H. E. Patterson stated yesterday that any contributions will be gladly received at the Chamber of Commerce office in the Rowell building and forwarded to Berkeley. He said that the appeal was especially urgent, as the boys came from all parts of the state, and needed every attention.

THE WEATHER

U. S. Bureau Report

FRESNO, Oct. 30.—Local forecast: Generally fair weather Wednesday and probably Thursday; light variable winds.

Local data:	5 a. m.	5 p. m.
Barometer	30.08	29.99
Temperature	56	70
Humidity, per cent	81	35

Average daily high temperature for October 78
Average daily low temperature for October 51
Highest and lowest this date ..... 80 and 38
Record maximum and minimum this date 81 and 47
High and low this date last year ..... 76 and 47
Time of sunrise October 30, 6:22; of sunset, 5:04.
Seasonal rainfall to date ..... .33 inches
Last year's rainfall to this date ..... .00 inches
Normal rainfall to date ..... .95 inches

STATIONS	Temperature: Highest today	Temperature: Lowest last night	State of weather	Wind direction	Precipitation in last 24 hours (in inches)
Abilene	66	50	Clear	NW	0
Boise	58	44	Clear	N	.02
Boston	78	64	Cloudy	SW	0
Buffalo	62	50	Cloudy	S	0
Chicago	60	50	Cloudy	W	0
Denver	54	34	Cloudy	W	0
Dodge City	56	40	Clear	N	0
Eureka	60	48	Clear	W	0
Flagstaff	52	34	Clear	E	0
FRESNO	80	38	Pt. Cldy	W	0
Galveston	76	72	Pt. Cldy	NW	.34
Helena	50	42	Cloudy	W	0
Huron	48	34	Cloudy	NW	0
Kansas City	64	46	Clear	N	.02
Los Angeles	66	60	Pt. Cldy	SW	0
Memphis	68	52	Cloudy	S	0
Needles	84	44	Pt. Cldy	N	0
New Orleans	84	72	Raining	NW	1.54
New York	70	62	Clear	S	0
Oklahoma	62	44	Cloudy	NW	0
Phoenix	74	48	Clear	W	0
Pittsburg	64	50	Cloudy	SE	0
Portland	62	54	Clear	NW	0
Red Bluff	84	38	Clear	N	0
Roseburg	72	32	Clear	N	0
Sacramento	82	38	Clear	SE	0
St. Louis	74	54	Clear	NW	.01
San Diego	74	60	Clear	NW	0
San Francisco	68	52	Clear	W	0
San Luis Obispo	80	60	Pt. Cldy	NE	0
Seattle	66	50	Clear	N	0
Spokane	40	44	Clear	NW	0
Tampa	88	68	Clear	S	0
Washington	82	54	Clouds	S	0
Yuma	86	60	Clear	N	0

Twa Mouthfu's o' Naething

Frae somewhere
Ower ayont th' seas—
Somewhere in France:
Frae some far camp,
Where talk o' hame
Feiches braw pictures
O' a goolden state
Aside a western sea,
Cums postal-card tae me
Signed be a ald
I called me frien',
Capt. Loyd Stephenson
O' Sunshineville,
An' on one side
Is a clear-cut picture
O' monny, monny tanks"
An' on th' ither
He says, 'Dear Scotty":
"Ye micht write
A piece o' poetry
Aboot th' 'birds'
On th' ither side
O' this here card."
An' I hae luiked an' luiked
An' thocht an' thocht
An' racked me brain
Fir sonsie syllables
Tae string taegither
An' foorm th' bit poem
Th' Captain is wantin'.
But I find it
Verra, verra difficult;
I can think o' "Yanks"
An' they fit wi 'tanks,"
An' o' "guns"
An' frightened 'Huns,"
An' o' th' gutteral "words"
Tho wull float oop
When these here "birds,"
As th' captain
Calls th' iron tanks,
Leave their nests
An' stert tae Berlin.
But there's sae muckle
O' yauld truth
In sic expressions
Thot I'm convinced
There canna be
Verra muckle poetry.
Hoover,
I've been telt
Thot there's poetry
In motion
An' it's michty easy
Fir tae get yirsel'
Intae th' swing o' thot:
Think o' a herd
O' low, squat,
Iron-backed monsters
On caterpillar legs,
Bitin' their slow way
Through barb-wire fences
An' wormin' their way
Ower Hun trenches
An' rootin' their way
Through deep shell holes,
Wi flamin' death
Spittin' frae their lips
An' th' grunt o' hate
Soundin' frae their throats;;
They may turn aside
Oddwhiles,
Fir a choice bite
At some machine-gun nest,
But they're soon back
Tae move wi th' herd
On its lang road,
But its sure road
Intae Berlin.
There's a lack o' dash
In th' march
O' th' iron tanks,
But there's a muckle
O' smash-smash-smash
An' thot's poetry
Gude eneuch for onnybody.
Root an' dig an' wriggle
Gae th' iron-backed de'ils;
Burrow an' bite an' wiggle,
Wi th' e'es o' them
Winkin' wi hate
An' th' steel snouts o' them
Red wi Hun blude
An' th' bite o' them
Quick death,
An' th' motion o' them
A beautifu' motion
Fir they lead th' way
Tae victory
An' tae peace.

Yir Frien'
SCOTTY.

Former Teacher, Now With 'Phone Unit Writes of Life

A letter from France describing an American entry into a French town, the attitude of the inhabitants and the activities of the day, has just been received from Mrs. Bertha Hunt, a former Fresnan, by her, uncle, H. R. Verrue, general superintendent of the Pacific Improvement Company at San Francisco. Mrs. Hunt was formerly Miss Bertha Matignon and was a teacher of French in the local high school for several semesters about eight or nine years ago. She was a graduate of the La Sorbonne school in Paris. In the latter part of 1917 she went to France in charge of fourteen young women who had enlisted in the telephone unit of the United States signal corps, from San Francisco.

Dr. R. H. Hunt, Mrs. Hunt's husband, was formerly a physician at Bartlett Springs, and is now an American surgeon on the U. S. S. Bridgeport.

Mrs. Hunt writes:

"For weeks we have been excited and feeling something in the air, and then for some time we knew things were going to happen—the preparations were most visible and audible, night and day, until we got so we just prayed for that zero hour to arrive—we were all tension, could think of nothing else, and didn't dare mention it; 'walls have ears,' as the French signs say. Well, the night before we were told the hour and advised to go to bed, ready to get up, and work at any hour. At 2 a. m. we got up, some of us were put on duty immediately. We have an operation board with lines for operations only, and when they first put me on that board it gave me a gone feeling and thrill of excitement—I felt the responsibility and felt every second was precious—by now we are more used to it. The first night I worked until 7:30 a. m., and then we had so many hours on and so many off for about three days.

"Of course, we have been more than delighted with the result of the drive and the sector that has just been delivered from the hands of the boches, after four years' captivity. One man living next door to us has been separated from his wife and children all this time and now can hardly believe that at last she can come home—she was just visiting in St. Mihiel when the German arrived. You know, in order to keep the enemy from advancing across the Meuse, the French blew up the bridge, and that prevented many of the inhabitants from getting away. An English girl was visiting up there, too, and was caught in the town. The Germans arrested her and kept her on bread and water and in solitary confinement for three weeks, then tried her as a spy, but let her go. At the same time a Russian was tried and executed. All the inhabitant, men, women and children, were ordered to La Place to view the execution. All the dogs in town were killed for fear some had been trained to carry messages.

"Well, after four years the inhabitants the other day were ordered to their homes and told to stay there until noon the next day, and not to show themselves—'some one had committed a crime,' it was said. Imagine the feelings of the people the next day when they looked out of their windows—hearing the shouting and commotion in the streets they peeked—and saw French soldiers, and Americans (whom they did not recognize!!!) They dashed out, kissed and hugged and shook hands with everyone. Every house was immediately decorated with flags, everybody wore a flag or cockade, the girls had red, white and blue ribbons, and it was a big fete. They were terribly surprised to see Americans, as the Germans had told that that U. S. Was forced into the war by France, had only a few regiments here, and that the American soldier ran in terror as soon as he saw the enemy; the Americans had only eighteen airplanes, and twelve of those had already been captured. Oh, what a host of lies and fabrications. The Germans took every boy over 16 with them when they left, and only one woman, who had married a German. How grateful everyone is to the Americans! They speak of America with tears in their eyes.

"The last few days we have had a new diversion, and a queer one, having been to the prisoners' cage. It was a curious sight, the first time I had approached the place. The whole town was out to 'view the animals.' I could think of nothing else but the zoo. There are hundreds and hundreds of Austrians and Germans captured and put in the prison cages. The soldiers of the two countries fight so they have to be separated. The cages are in the middle of the fields, and consist of two fences of barbed wire, one inside the other, and in one compartment is a wooden barracks for the officers. Oh, such sights! Some of the men were sharing each other, others catching cootles in their shirts, lots of them sleeping (just looking exhausted), and all of them seemed contented except the officers, and you never saw such arrogance in your life! What impressed me was the silence of the whole place—no loud talking, not many seemed to be talking, and no laughter! in fact, laughter is almost gone from people over here; they are just stolid, sullen-looking wretches, and from what the boys say they (especially the Austrians) are delighted to be prisoners. We have been there twice since, once with tobacco, cigarettes and candy, and had the time of our lives with our boys who were on guard. We exchanged our goods for souvenirs—at least that was our intention, but the boys did beg so hard for either cigarettes or chocolate that we didn't have the heart to refuse, and had the pleasure of giving to those boys who couldn't go to town and buy, and hadn't had any for some time. One boy, a sergeant, who was our escort, just emptied his pockets of souvenirs and wouldn't keep a cigarette for himself, so I made him a chocolate cake—the first he had had for ten months—and one of the girls made him fudge. If we could only play 'Lady Bountiful' often! I suppose that is a conceited wish, but it does one good to see those boys, they are such youngsters and so delighted and happy with a piece of chocolate or a cigarette. Then they do love to talk to Americans, too. They seem hungry for American women; it is most flattering.

"Today is an off day with us—we are packing and gathering up our belongings. Next time, I will tell you of the new place."

In a later letter, Mrs. Hunt says:

"This is a country of 'abris.' Ours is just outside the door of our barracks; everywhere you go is a cellar door, as it were, with steps down, down and down, or tunnels in the hillsides for shelters. It is also the country of camouflage. The barracks are nearly all painted brown and green, with the usual wiggly designs; green and brown canvass is thrown over everything of value, and very often branches of trees are used to cover the roofs. Then the shrapnel protection of walls built of small branches—twigs intertwined, and dirt between that and the buildings. We visited a couple of evacuation hospitals. Their wards are surrounded by these shrapnel protectors built about two feet out from the buildings."

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Dr. Allen Jackson's Dental Office closed on account of illness. Watch this paper for re-opening announcement.

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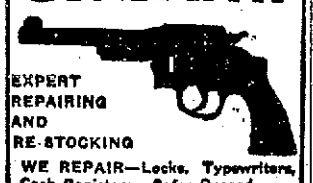

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— 8-quart Tea Kettle $2.00
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— 4-quart covered Bail handle Kettle $1.25

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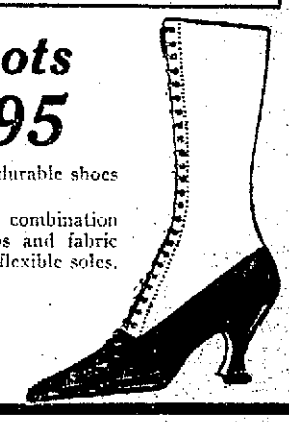

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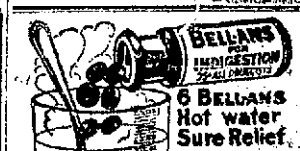

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BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

SOCIETY

The first attraction to be offered by the Fresno Musical club is the appearance of Eddy Brown, the American violinist, who is slated for a Fresno engagement on December 2, at the White theater.

It was with no little regret that the concert to be given by Anna Fitziu and Andres Segurola has been definitely cancelled, as indeed, all of the western engagements of the gifted couple had to be owing to the prevailing epidemic. They lingered in Los Angeles, hoping that the situation in the west would clear, but a Metropolitan engagement scheduled for early in November called them East, and so with their departure, went all prospects of California music lovers hearing them this season, at least.

Their cancelled engagement leaves one place open on the list of promised artist attractions for the local club's series of concerts, and so many wonderful things, musically speaking, are to be in California, during the post holiday season, that it will be a difficult matter for the directors to make another choice.

One of the things which makes for Eddy Brown's popularity in addition to his talent as a violinist, is his simplicity of personality and total lack of conceit. He gives the impression of good nature, without any apparent desire to create an impression. His playing is according to his feelings, without reference to his audience, and he is versatile in mood. Fresno is fortunate in listing the young artist for the season's series of musical events.

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Many Fresnans are interested in the telegram received yesterday by Mrs. F. P. Roberts of Madera, telling of the commission of ensign received by her son, Frank Dickey. Mr. Dickey enlisted in the navy about six months ago, and is at present temporarily stationed at San Pedro. He is expecting shortly to be sent to the Union Iron Works, in San Francisco, to do inspection work.

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Miss Mary Harris left yesterday for Taft to be with her brother, William Greene Harris, and family during an attack of influenza.

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Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Orsburn, who are residing near Houston, Texas, of the advent of a little son in their household.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy, Miss Helen Kennedy and Ted Cutter, who have been enjoying a week's visit in France with Mr. and Mrs. Ward B. Minturn and Mr. and Mrs. F. Dean Prescott, left yesterday for their home in Berkeley.

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Mrs. J. F. Hixson and Miss Mary Hixson have gone to Long Beach for a visit with Mrs. James Barstow, who is making her home in the beach city, while her husband is stationed there with the naval reserves.

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Mrs. B. F. Shepherd will entertain a few friends informally at luncheon today for two visitors of the week, Mrs. Henry Avila, of Piedmont, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles M. Griffith, and Mrs. Flora Short, who is visiting Mrs. H. Wingate Lake.

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North Park auxiliary of the Red Cross will meet today from 2 to 5 o'clock, and also on Friday at the same hours, at the workrooms, corner of Echo and Dennett avenues. Members are to wear masks and bring individual drinking cups.

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Miss Marian Hammond has returned from Fairoaks, where she has been teaching in the high school, to remain during the enforced school vacation. She has as her guest Miss Ruth Ratcliffe, of Washington.

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Miss Marjorie Guard has returned from Lemoore where she has been teaching and will remain at home during the school vacation.

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The meeting of the Tako Embroidery Club which was to have been held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Bartram, has been indefinitely postponed.

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Upon receipt of a telegram from Vancouver, telling of the illness of Howard Kavanaugh, from pneumonia, Miss Marguerite Kavanaugh left yesterday for the north to be with her brother. Mr. Kavanaugh, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kavanaugh, enlisted with the machine gun corps, some time ago, but owing to defective hearing was later transferred to the government spruce service.

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St. Alphonsus Auxiliary of the Red Cross will hold a meeting on Thursday afternoon in the grounds of the church, the usual work to be accomplished in the al fresco setting.

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Miss Anita Burness has returned from Miss Head's School in Berkeley, to remain during the epidemic.

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St. John's Hall is to be open for Red Cross work each day this week to aid in the emergency work. All ladies who can are asked to be present. Today the work will be the making of masks and pneumonia jackets.

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Mrs. James Kleidsen left yesterday for Burlingame where her sister, Mrs. Fred Belton, is ill with the influenza. Mr. Belton and their little child are also suffering from the malady.

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Of interest to many Fresnans is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Rosalie C. Lord to Dr. J. Carl Drake of Kerman, which occurred October 21 at Redwood City. Mrs. Drake is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lord, prominent residents of Merced, and is well known locally, having attended the Fresno schools. Dr. Drake is a son of the late Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Drake of St. Louis, and before locating at Kerman practiced a short time in Fresno, where he has many friends. Dr. and Mrs. Drake will reside at Kerman.

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On Tuesday morning at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Johanna Dirschl on Mono avenue, the marriage of Miss Louise Dirschl and Frank West Fine was solemnized, Rev. J. Johansen officiating in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. Miss Mildred De Craene and Harold R. Fine were the only attendants. Carnations and greenery were used in the bridal decorations, and following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. Later Mr. and Mrs. Fine left for Westwood, Lassen county, where the former is doing government work. Among those who witnessed the ceremony were Mrs. Johanna Dirschl, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fine, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Reynolds, Mrs. Blanche McClure, Mrs. J. Stanley Fine, Harold R. Fine, Golden Fine, Miss Mildred De Craene, Mrs. S. W. Waltz and Rev. J. Johansen.

RUNAWAY TEAM KILLS RANCHER

M. E. Boyajian, a rancher of Route "A," Fresno, was killed by a runaway team while hauling wood on the old Cobb ranch on the San Joaquin river yesterday afternoon. According to Bob Dea Grigoaisn and Aaron Khushigian, who had been working with him, they had been helping one another out of a low place in the road with a "snap" team, but as Boyajian's horses were high spirited, he refused their aid and they drove ahead. Boyajian's team became frightened at something, dashed away, throwing him out of the wagon and running over his body, killing him almost instantly. The frightened animals were only stopped by striking a tree.

Boyajian was a native of Armenia and had resided in California nineteen years. He was 54 years of age, and is survived by the widow, a daughter, Sara, and two sons. The body was taken to Stephens & Bean's.

Coroner Bean will probably hold an inquest either today or tomorrow.

The ranch were Boyajian met his death was the property of Hallian brothers, one of whom and his family were burned to death in his residence at Calwa recently.

MRS. URQUHART PASSES AWAY.

Mrs. Carl M. Urquhart, 22 years old, died early yesterday morning at the late residence, 2830 White avenue. She is survived by the widower, Alexander Urquhart, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Piella.

Three Former Fresnans Are Victims of Ocean Disaster

THREE FORMER FRESNANS LOST IN ALASKAN SHIPWRECK. Left to Right, Upper—J. E. Garner and his wife, Mrs. Nellie Garner. Lower—Alfred R. Garner.

Definite news was received in the city yesterday from the office of Clarence J. Berry, San Francisco mining man, to J. H. Shadle of this city, that Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garner and Alfred R. Garner were on the ill-fated Princess Sophia, which went to the bottom of the sea between Skagway and Juneau, Alaska, last Friday. The body of Mrs. Garner is said to have been found of the bodies of her husband and his brother. The three, with more than 300 residents of the Yukon mining territory were on their way to the States. The Garners were all coming to Fresno to spend the winter and expected to have arrived here this week. J. E. and Alfred Garner had been in the Yukon for the past fifteen years, the former as manager of a mine owned by Mr. Berry. All were well known and popular residents of this place in the nineties and have many friends who learned of the tragedy that had befallen them with feelings of keenest sorrow.

J. E. Garner was born at Stockton, January 7, 1869, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. R. Garner, both now deceased. Alfred R. Garner was born May 21, 1871, near Modesto. He was unmarried. Mrs. J. E. Garner was born in Redwood City, January 7, 1874, both she an dher husband having the same birthday. Before her marriage she was Miss Nellie Paddock and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Paddock, both of Fresno, now deceased. She is survived by one brother, C. B. Paddock, of 3060 White avenue, this city, and five sisters: Mrs. George Selby of Quincy, Ill.; Mrs. O. Thomas of San Jose, Mrs. Clinton Nanny of Hanford; Mrs. Patrick of Elko, Nev., and Mrs. Will Coppin of 445 Effie street, this city. The Garners are survived by two borthers and one sister, J. C. Garner of Lindsay, W. K. Garner of Ferndale, Humboldt county, and Mrs. J. H. Shadle of White avenue and Abbey streets.

BARBOUR STARTS ON ANOTHER TOUR

Residents' Partisan Appeal Has Aroused Great Deal of Interest

In the few days remaining before the general election, H. E. Barbour, Republican nominee for Congress, will visit many places in the southern part of the Seventh congressional district. President Wilson's partisan appeal has awakened a great deal of interest in what was thought would be a very quiet contest and Barbour expects to reap the benefit that will accrue.

Until the President announced that politics had been recalled into session, the majority of the voters in this district had accepted his statement that "politics was adjourned" and were showing very little interest in the congressional contest. In fact this promised to be one of the quietest congressional contests ever waged in this district. But now all has changed. Those who were apathetic have suddenly sprung to life and the indications are that this contest will probably be the most interesting of the campaign.

Disguised Captain Drills With Men; Given Hard Grind

A practical joke, as part of the method of instructing the Fresno drafted men at drill, was played on the company by Captain S. L. Gallaher last night. The captain dressed in camouflage clothing and mask entered the lines, and was placed unrecognized in one of the squads as a private and drilled for half an hour. It happened that the young officers in charge were giving a particularly "intensive" drill, and the captain once more experienced what it means to be in the ranks. Incidentally he was severely called to order by some of the budding noncoms who did not recognize that an "enemy" had entered their squads. After drill, the captain expressed his appreciation of the progress made by the men. All were asked to attend noncommissioned officers' training school tonight.

The drill last night was conducted by Sergeant Henry Hopkins. Large numbers of the men are enlisting in military branches open to them. New men are recruited daily from those expecting to leave for training camps in a couple of weeks.

SAMMIETTES TO DRILL TONIGHT

The Fresno Sammiettes will undertake their first drill of the new season at Dickey playgrounds at 7:30 o'clock tonight. Mrs. Ethel Griffin, who has general direction of the organization, expects about 85 girls to drill tonight. The girls will have their first drill under their new drill master, Captain S. L. Gallaher, of the National Guard. Captain Gallaher will drill the girls each Wednesday night for the coming weeks.

COMMITTEE OF 100 TO AID STEPHENS

More than a hundred loyal supporters of Governor Stephens will be called upon by Mayor W. P. Tonmey, president of the Fresno Stephens-for-Governor club, to organize small committees of their own to carry on a man-to-man campaign in Fresno city and county to roll up an unprecedented majority for Stephens.

This step was decided on at a conference yesterday afternoon at which a number of Stephens leaders discussed the best method to round-up the full Stephens vote since the influenza epidemic precludes the holding of any public meetings.

FRESNO COUNTY BOY DIES OF 'FLU'

News of the death of pneumonia of Nathaniel Inman Hudson, formerly of Wheatville, Fresno county, has just reached here through the dailies of Anacortes, Washington, where he resided before his enlistment in November, 1917, in the medical department of the aviation corps. Hudson died on October 17, at an aviation camp on Long Island.

Hudson was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hudson, and was born in Wheatville. For the last nine years he had lived in Anacortes, being employed by the water company. He would have been 21 years old on November 20.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

To the Members of Fresno Chapter American Red Cross.

Please take notice that the Annual meeting of the members of Fresno Chapter, American Red Cross, will be held at the Municipal Auditorium, Fresno, Fresno County, California, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, at 5:00 P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
WILLIAM GLASS, Chairman
MRS. AL. BRAVERMAN, Secretary

October 17, 1918.

Fresno, Cal., October 25, 1918.

Due notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of Fresno Chapter American Red Cross, above referred to, has been postponed until November 13th, 1918, at the hour of 5 P. M., at the Auditorium.

FRESNO CHAPTER AMERICAN RED CROSS,
William Glass, Chairman.
Mrs. Al. Braverman, Secretary.
—Advertisement.

REV. HODGSON'S DAUGHTER DIES

The board of stewards of St. Paul's M. E. church (south) met last night and passed resolutions of condolence to be sent to Rev. Mark Hodgson, formerly pastor of the local church, on the death of his youngest daughter, Olivia, of influenza in Sacramento on Sunday.

The Hodgsons left Fresno a week ago for Sacramento, where Rev. Hodgson had been transferred to the pastorate of the South Methodist church there.

Olivia Hodgson was about fourteen years of age, and is survived by her father and mother, one sister, Helen Hodgson, and four brothers, Ralph, Robert, Frank and Charles. Robert Hodgson is in training at Los Angelus; Frank is stationed at an eastern camp and Charles is in the S. A. T. C. at Berkeley.

Helen Hodgson, an older sister, who teaches at Bullard, left Fresno Monday night to attend the funeral.

HELD IN JUVENILE COURT

J. E. Carrol, charged with having issued a fictitious check recently in payment on a car purchased of Eugene Mathewson, was given a preliminary hearing in Judge Grahams' court yesterday and held to answer in the juvenile court. Bail was fixed at $500. Carrol is 18 years old. The case was prosecuted by H. J. Carling, deputy prosecuting attorney.

REPORT THEFTS TO POLICE

S. Vartenian reported to the police yesterday that he was held up and robbed of $160 in greenbacks. Another theft reported to the police was that of a coat belonging to Lillian Koch, 1108 U street.

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Supervisor
CHAS. WELLS
Candidate for Re-election
Fourth Dist.

A Word To the Thoughtful Voter

I have served you for four years, and have tried to do my full duty without favor, ever considering the best interest of all.

My record is before you. You are riding daily on my roads. I have accomplished what I have, under war conditions. I am asking you to re-elect me for another term, for I feel with my experience, that during the next four years I can serve you better.

Mr. Business Man, whether you are a banker, merchant or farmer, if you had under your employment a man that you had trained for four years and was giving satisfaction, would you discharge him without a cause and replace him with a novice who is unfamiliar with your business, and spend money and time to train him?

Think this over as a business proposition and vote your answer Nov. 5, 1918.

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Our New Safe Deposit Boxes Now Installed

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Wizard Oil is a good, dependable preparation to keep in the medicine chest for first aid when the doctor may be far away. Its healing, antiseptic qualities can always be relied upon to prevent infection, or other serious results, from sprains, bruises, cuts, burns, bites and stings. Just as good, too, for sore feet, stiff neck, frost bites, cold sores and canker sores.

Get a bottle from your druggist for 30c and use the medicine. If not entirely satisfied take the bottle back to him and he will return your money.

If you are troubled with constipation or sick headache try Hamlins Wizard Liver Whips. Just pleasant little pink pills at druggists for 25c. Guaranteed.
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PRINTERS INK PAYS

200 MORE DRAFT MEN ARE CALLED FOR TESTS

Class One of "19-36" City Men to Be Examined This Week

Entire 700 Will be Ready for Call or Rejected by Saturday

With another 200 men ordered to report for physical examination tomorrow at the law library at the Courthouse the number already called by the city board reaches a total of 600. All of the men now being examined to Class 1 in the "19-36" draft call. Approximately 700 men in the city have been placed in Class 1 and the remaining 100 will be called for examination Friday. The list of those called yesterday follows:

Bachan Singh.
Harry C. Danich.
Anthony Donato.
Clifton E. Martin.
John D. Patterson.
Candido Gillio.
Daniel O. Trinidade.
Charles A. Carey.
John D. Cornett.
Domenico Pugliese.
Parkham I. Hunstook.
Louis Christensen.
Martin J. Crane.
Louis Ginsberg.
Vincente S. Adnor.
Roy Hall.
Irwin W. Qualls.
Donald F. Hutchinson.
Fred Laubach.
Alex Blumenthal.
Walter H. Mills.
William F. Stuart.
McDonald E. Pyeat.
Bernie B. Thomas.
Harry Fengstermacher.
Elijah Crouch.
Maoso Niloka.
Ferdinand B. Bier.
Carl Geringer.
Henry Klein.
Albert J. Mertlik.
Herant A. Tufenkian.
Roy Briscoe.
Guy A. House.
Frank O. Girler.
Phillip J. Griffin.
Reo Gigliotti.
Louis Apodaca.
Henry V. Pleitner.
Vic Hooseplan.
Robert E. Boettcher.
Ola Patterson.
Ezekiel Witty.
Maitland Renstow.
Lelsia F. Berlkin.
Nahabet Mahradian.
Ernest D. Soper.
Evano Trigg.
Warren H. McKelvey.
Robert Burns.
Wm. Albert Reiss.
John J. Scheid.
Benj. F. Linville.
Ganio O. Celestino.
Sherwood Spurgin.
Laurence J. Christensen.
Milton H. Lee.
Joe Morelda.
Alexander Kerner.
Conrad H. Fries.
Henry Kuhn.
Gustave A. Diel.
Alexander Will.
Henry Markus.
Clarence Moss.
Hanford P. Jones.
Day. Apalatea.
Raymond Fred Norenberg.
Wyatt James Mecartea.
Chas. Molinquest.
Walter Merril Dow.
James M. Shepherd.
Wm. Johnson Enoch.
Henry Blotcher.
Tom Glanopulos.
Harvey E. Genung.
David M. Steels.
Wm. Woodbury.
Konstantine D. Kesmas.
Walter S. Hodda.
Monroe D. Lamb.
Ohannes Khachiklian.
George Polychronis.
Nicholas D. Nitros.
Leslie Blain Willey.
Marcus John Bell.
Herbert Marvin Walden.
Axel Ardid Nelson.
Nigogos Kanzadian.
Anton Pantellaki.
Melik Mardirosoff.
Victor Riccomini.
Kissae A. Basmajian.
John Cleveland.
Manuel J. Pimentel.
Mads Nielson.
Russell Glenn.
Ellie H. Bristol.
Wm. Grumps.
Stanton D. Kniffin.
Jonel Barbu.
James Geddes.
Haig Hogrogulan.
Onofrio Pierutoni.
Thomas E. Wellford.
Wm. Brost.
John Perlrich.
Alexander McKenzie.
Alfred Nielsen.
Robert A. Aubery.
Setrak Vartanian.
Louis H. Brown.
Phillip E. Gordan.
Willis W. McMullen.
James Oastler.
Ricardo H. Verdugo.
Petar L. Jovanovich.
Eli Kovacevich.
Boghoss Sukossian.
Lee Chon.
Tom Davis.
Anthony Kokich.
Manuie P. Marmarns.
Deleri Bryerè.
Gus Danos.
Quillie K. Cox.
Chris Moorsias.
Aime Nicholas Florentine.
Henry Markus.
Sheley Patterson.
William Nicholas Shuster.
Eugene Clifford Lathrop.
Paul Schlotthauer.
Harold Geo. Higgins.
Lowell W. Sharp.
Henry Kemmer Jr.
Tony Gonzales.
Clarence N. Williams.
Edwin R. Coolidge.
Gordon McWhorter.
Sanford Lewis Dean.
David J. Joseph.
Harry Waldman.
John H. Duncan.
Henry S. Danick.
Earl Lynch.
William S. Woodward.
Henry M. Barb.
Harold C. Wolfe.
Charles Wm. Frederickson.
Jervis R. Schaeffer.
Edward McCarthy.
Frank Clarke.
Morris J. Strosnider.
Chas. W. Furrish.
Chas. F. Salter.
Emil Pierron.
William Christensen.
James A. Laumer.
Frank W. Young.
Jacob C. Legler.
Frank Lewis Chelgreen.
Frank Hiram Owen.
Samuel A. Skeen.
Joseph D. Schreiber.
Percy L. Snider.
Dewey Staggs.
Luther Hussey.
Hugh M. Bell.
Bugl Clifford Pond.
Carl H. Shuck.
Josh Edward Warner.
Haden R. James.
Harry T. Lushey.
Herman C. Jeska.
Peter Petersen.
Leroy Toast.
Rally Allhoff.
Guy Romeo Vignolo.
Jake Wm. Gardner.
Frank M. Smith.
Campbell Caldwell.
Bartholomeo Simone.
Louis Goria.
George Willson.
Wm. E. Sheinard.
Frank Mechulis.
John H. Heinze.
Roy J. Sandbeck.
Francleno Francieno.
James S. Moffett.

OUTSIDE BOARDS.

Carl Edwin Holgate.
Vincent E. Provost.

Playgrounds Are Renovating During Enforced Vacation

By R. S. QUIGLEY.

The Fresno playgrounds are having the first vacation they have had for five years, or in other words, the first vacation since the playground system has been started in Fresno. In most business concerns or most institutions there is usually some part of the year which is called the dull season—in the playground department this would be hard to find. In the summer, when schools are out and the school vacation is on, the playgrounds are going at full blast. Then in the fall when school opens the playground ball leagues are organized and the big series of games is played off on the playgrounds nights after school. This is no more than under full swing than the playground club house season opens up and there are activities both before and after supper. Before there is any chance for monotony to enter into the game, the Christmas season is on and always great preparations are made on all the playgrounds for the holiday festivities. Then follows the week's Christmas vacation, in which pent-up energy is let out by the children.

The big New Year's dance always demands considerable attention, and right after that a series of indoor basketball, volley ball and playground ball games are of high importance to playground and recreation seekers. Of course, all this time there is going on various war campaigns, etc., which demand extra attention; also there are the usual holiday parties, such as Hallowe'en, Valentine, etc., which are always counted upon as joy days to the children. Then there is considerable time always devoted to the preparation of the Raisin Day festival, as all the playgrounds always sent in large delegations of representatives in the various departments of the Raisin Day festival.

The spring series of matched games and city championships are then decided, and before we know it all are getting ready for the summer vacation again, which is no vacation for the playgrounds, and looking forward to the celebration of Independence Day, so the wheel turns over from one busy season to another without hesitation. Occasionally extra celebrations are sandwiched in, such as Patriotic play week was this year, just for good measure.

Now that at last a vacation is enforced upon the playgrounds, and much to the sorrow of the children all the handball back boards, baseball backstops, basketball goals, and football goals are being painted. The children's slides are being painted, oiled and varnished, and the rest of the apparatus is being gone over.

The regular caretakers of the grounds are doing this work and it is not costing the city any extra money. All the buildings have just been fumigated and will be in a thoroughly clean condition when the playgrounds renew their activities.

The playground supervisors, many of them who have gotten behind in their vacations owing to the continual busy season of the playground department, are now getting a chance to catch up and enjoy thorough rest for a longer time than they have had since in the employ of the playground department. Unfortunately, four of the supervisors were afflicted with the influenza and have not had the full advantage of the vacation time. All these, however, are progressing nicely and will be fully recovered by the time the playgrounds are ready to re-open.

The playground department is preparing for a grand rush to the grounds the minute the ban is lifted and the padlocks are unlocked from the playground gates. Days and weeks are a long time for some of the children to pass by the playgrounds and look wishfully through the wire fence without even just one swing or one slide to ease them off.

When children stop swinging they usually like to "let the old cat die," so to speak for the playgrounds the "old cat is dead" until the influenza lets up, but happily the "old cat" has seven lives and will always come back.

The playgrounds commissioners will hold their regular meeting Thursday night, November 7, provided conditions will permit. The commissioners are: Mr. Ben Epstein, chairman; Mrs. George H. Taylor, Mrs. S. S. Hockett, Mr. Burt Harvey, Mr. H. J. McFarland, Mr. Berton Einstein, Mr. Frank M. Lane.

NEWMAN PRESENTED WITH GOLD WATCH

The employes of Kutner-Goldstein presented Dave L. Newman with a gold watch bearing a suitable inscription on the occasion of his leaving yesterday afternoon to take up Red Cross work in Italy. Mr. Newman has been associated with the firm for the past thirty years and is now dry goods manager. On behalf of the subscribers, S. Stanger made the presentation and Mr. Newman made a reply expressing his pleasure at such a touch of good feeling.

The watch bears the following inscription: "D. L. Newman, Fresno, Cal., from the employes of Kutner's I street store, October 29, 1918."

Mr. Newman is instructed to report in San Francisco tonight to receive final intructions before he leaves for Italy. He is to report in New York on November 6.

POLICE RECEIVE CAPTURE REWARD

The police department yesterday received the sum of $25 from Traffic Officer J. S. Aiken of Madera county as half of a reward given by an insurance company for the capture of A. C. Hawthorne and W. A. Jacobs, charged with having stolen an automobile belonging to a Los Angeles man. Hawthorne and Jacobs were captured by local officers after a severe battle at the Belmont avenue crossing of the S. P. tracks several weeks ago, when the bandits' car struck a telephone pole.

The officers participating in the fight were Inspectors Enos, Broad, Truax, Merrit and Motorcycle Officer Sayre. The money was turned into the policeman's relief fund.

G. A. BLUE FUNERAL TODAY

Funeral services for George A. Blue, who died at the residence, 835 L street, Monday, will be held at 3:30 o'clock today in Mountain View cemetery. He was 37 years old and is survived by the widow, Mrs. Mabel Blue, and daughter, Marjorie.

ANNOUNCE SERVICE FOR MAURICE REED

MAURICE A. REED.

Funeral services for Maurice A. Reed, gunner with the 40th Balloon company at Fort Omaha, Neb., who died at that camp last Saturday from an attack of pneumonia, will be held tomorrow afternoon. The funeral cortege will leave the Powell undertaking parlors on Van Ness avenue at 2 o'clock for the Fresno crematory, where services will be conducted by Rev. Charles Laurant Beal on the lawn of the crematory. Mrs. K. Caldwell will sing.

Reed was born in Minneapolis in 1890, but came to Fresno with his parents as a boy. Previous to enlisting in the army he was employed by the California Associated Raisin company. He was also a student at Oregon Agricultural college, and had completed his sophomore year. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Reed of Fresno, and a sister, Mrs. Marvin McFarland of Los Angeles. The remains are expected to arrive tonight from Omaha.

LOCAL "Y" DRIVE GETS GOOD START

Captains Report $2,623.50 for the First Day's Collection

Fresno Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. drive for local funds to carry on the work of the Fresno associations is proceeding satisfactorily, according to reports made at the headquarters in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday. It was reported that the total for Monday's pledges and cash collections amounted to $2,623.50. The sum aimed at is $15,000, which is to be apportioned between the two associations. The Y. M. C. A. is to receive $9,000 and the Y. W. C. A. $6,000.

Captains of the various teams who are canvassing the city are instructed to report the results of their canvass each morning at the Y. M. C. A. building at 9 o'clock. The city has been divided into districts, but each captain makes a selection of the persons on whom he wishes to call, and reports the results next day.

Secretary George A. Forbes, who is managing the campaign, reports that by this system they are enabled to have a complete record of the supporters of the institutions. It was stated that precautions were being taken not to cause any confusion between the united war work drive and the present drive for local funds. The reason for having the drive at this time, Secretary Forbes said, was that no other opportunity was likely to be available for getting funds to keep the local associations going, owing to the war drives. After consultation with many of the prominent business men of the city, he said, it was decided that the associations should not be closed up for lack of money, but that special efforts should be made to raise the money before the united war drive began.

The results of yesterday's collection will be reported this morning. The reports of the captains yesterday morning were:

N. E. Carnine and F. J. Haber	$416.00
W. A. Conn and J. Stanley Moffatt	245.00
S. M. Cooper and A. T. Pearson	60.00
Mrs. S. S. Hockett and Mrs. W. F. Chandler	
M. W. McAfee and John Drenth	79.50
C. K. Wakefield and H. F. Dorland	157.00
Mrs. J. B. Dorsey and Mrs. Frances Dunn	217.00
Speed B. Leas	120.00
C. R. Barnhard	90.00
Frank Hood and J. Eichelberger	
Miss Julia Sayre and Mrs. J. O. Cross	375.00
M. C. McWhorter	
C. H. Miller	900.00
Mrs. Peter Droge	
E. C. Hughson	
R. C. Palmer	
William Glass	
G. L. Aynesworth and A. W. Bernhauer	
Bart Harvey and Dr. R. T. Hall	
Total for first day	$2,623.50

Secretary Forbes said that for the next days of the drive, if the captains reported amounts similar to this, the success was assured. The money, he said, is absolutely necessary if the local associations are to be carried on and as they are an asset to the community in placing a healthy moral environment in the life of the young people of the city.

DEL REY BURGLARS LODGED IN JAIL

Abel Carvzal and Jesus Leinos were lodged in the county jail yesterday on the charge of having burglarized a store at Del Rey, where they are alleged to have stolen about $100 worth of clothing and jewelry. About $75 worth of goods stolen by them in August or September, however, has been found. The men were arraigned before Judge Cotton of Sanger yesterday and placed under $1000 bail each. They were arrested by Constable Campbell and Deputy Constable Hamilton of Sanger.

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SOCIETY

The first attraction to be offered by the Fresno Musical club is the appearance of Eddy Brown, the American violinist, who is slated for a Fresno engagement on December 2, at the White theater.

It was with no little regret that the concert to be given by Anna Fitziu and Andres Segurola has been definitely cancelled, as indeed, all of the western engagements of the gifted couple had to be owing to the prevailing epidemic. They lingered in Los Angeles, hoping that the situation in the west would clear, but a Metropolitan engagement scheduled for early in November called them East, and so with their departure, went all prospects of California music lovers hearing them this season, at least.

Their cancelled engagement leaves one place open on the list of promised artist attractions for the local club's series of concerts, and so many wonderful things, musically speaking, are to be in California, during the post holiday season, that it will be a difficult matter for the directors to make another choice.

One of the things which makes for Eddy Brown's popularity in addition to his talent as a violinist, is his simplicity of personality and total lack of conceit. He gives the impression of good nature, without any apparent desire to create an impression. His playing is according to his feelings, without reference to his audience, and he is versatile in mood. Fresno is fortunate in listing the young artist for the season's series of musical events.

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Many Fresnans are interested in the telegram received yesterday by Mrs. F. P. Roberts of Madera, telling of the commission of ensign received by her son, Frank Dickey. Mr. Dickey enlisted in the navy about six months ago, and is at present temporarily stationed at San Pedro. He is expecting shortly to be sent to the Union Iron Works, in San Francisco, to do inspection work.

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Miss Mary Harris left yesterday for Taft to be with her brother, William Greene Harris, and family during an attack of influenza.

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Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Orsburn, who are residing near Houston, Texas, of the advent of a little son in their household.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy, Miss Helen Kennedy and Ted Cutter, who have been enjoying a week's visit in France with Mr. and Mrs. Ward B. Minturn and Mr. and Mrs. F. Dean Prescott, left yesterday for their home in Berkeley.

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Mrs. J. F. Hixson and Miss Mary Hixson have gone to Long Beach for a visit with Mrs. Jamse Barstow, who is making her home in the beach city, while her husband is stationed there with the naval reserves.

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Mrs. B. F. Shepherd will entertain a few friends informally at luncheon today for two visitors of the week, Mrs. Henry Avila, of Piedmont, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles M. Griffith, and Mrs. Flora Short, who is visiting Mrs. H. Wingate Lake.

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North Park auxiliary of the Red Cross will meet today from 2 to 5 o'clock, and also on Friday at the same hours, at the workrooms, corner of Echo and Dennett avenues. Members are to wear masks and bring individual drinking cups.

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Miss Marian Hammond has returned from Fairoaks, where she has been teaching in the high school, to remain during the enforced school vacation. She has as her guest Miss Ruth Ratcliffe, of Washington.

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Miss Marjorie Guard has returned from Lemoore where she has been teaching and will remain at home during the school vacation.

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The meeting of the Take Embroidery Club which was to have been held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Bartram, has been indefinitely postponed.

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Upon receipt of a telegram from Vancouver, telling of the illness of Howard Kavanaugh, from pneumonia, Miss Marguerite Kavanaugh left yesterday for the north to be with her brother. Mr. Kavanaugh, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kavanaugh, enlisted with the machine gun corps, some time ago, but owing to defective hearing was later transferred to the government spruce service.

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St. Alphonsus Auxiliary of the Red Cross will hold a meeting on Thursday afternoon in the grounds of the church, the usual work to be accomplished in the al fresco setting.

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Miss Anita Burness has returned from Miss Head's School in Berkeley, to remain during the epidemic.

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St. John's Hall is to be open for Red Cross work each day this week to aid in the emergency work. All ladies who can are asked to be present. Today the work will be the making of masks and pneumonia jackets.

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Mrs. James Kieldsen left yesterday for Burlingame where her sister, Mrs. Fred Belton, is ill with the influenza. Mr. Belton and their little child are also suffering from the malady.

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Of interest to many Fresnans is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Rosalie C. Lord to Dr. J. Carl Drake of Kerman, which occurred October 21 at Redwood City. Mrs. Drake is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lord, prominent residents of Merced, and is well known locally, having attended the Fresno schools. Dr. Drake is a son of the late Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Drake of St. Louis, and before locating at Kerman practiced a short time in Fresno, where he has many friends. Dr. and Mrs. Drake will reside at Kerman.

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On Tuesday morning at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Johanna Dirschl on Mono avenue, the marriage of Miss Louise Dirschl and Frank West Fine was solemnized, Rev. J. Johansen officiating in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. Miss Mildred De Cracne and Harold R. Fine were the only attendants. Carnations and greenery were used in the bridal decorations, and following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. Later Mr. and Mrs. Fine left for Westwood, Lassen county, where the former is doing government work. Among those who witnessed the ceremony were Mrs. Johanna Dirschl, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fine, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Mrs. Blanche McClure, Mrs. J. Stanley Fine, Harold R. Fine, Golden Fine, Miss Mildred De Cracne, Mrs. S. W. Waltz and Rev. J. Johansen.

RUNAWAY TEAM KILLS RANCHER

M. E. Boyajian, a rancher of Route "A," Fresno, was killed by a runaway team while hauling wood on the old Cobb ranch on the San Joaquin river yesterday afternoon. According to Bob Des Grigoaien and Aaron Khushigian, who had been working with him, they had been helping one another out of a low place in the road with a "snap" team, but as Boyajian's horses were high spirited, he refused their aid and they drove ahead. Boyajian's team became frightened at something, dashed away, throwing him out of the wagon and running over his body, killing him almost instantly. The frightened animals were only stopped by striking a tree.

Boyajian was a native of Armenia and had resided in California nineteen years. He was 54 years of age, and is survived by the widow, a daughter, Sara, and two sons. The body was taken to Stephens & Bean's.

Coroner Bean will probably hold an inquest either today or tomorrow.

The ranch were Boyajian met his death was the property of Hallian brothers, one of whom and his family were burned to death in his residence at Calwa recently.

MRS. URQUHART PASSES AWAY.

Mrs. Carl M. Urquhart, 22 years old, died early yesterday morning at the late residence, 2530 White avenue. She is survived by the widower, Alexander Urquhart, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Piella.

Three Former Fresnans Are Victims of Ocean Disaster

THREE FORMER FRESNANS LOST IN ALASKAN SHIPWRECK. Left to Right, Upper—J. E. Garner and his wife, Mrs. Nellie Garner. Lower—Alfred R. Garner.

Definite news was received in the city yesterday from the office of Clarence J. Berry, San Francisco mining man, to J. H. Shadle of this city, that Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garner and Alfred R. Garner were on the ill-fated Princess Sophia, which went to the bottom of the sea between Skagway and Juneau, Alaska, last Friday. The body of Mrs. Garner is said to have been recovered, but no trace has been found of the bodies of her husband and his brother. The three, with more than 300 residents of the Yukon mining territory were on their way to the States. The Garners were all coming to Fresno to spend the winter and expected to have arrived here this week. J. E. and Alfred Garner had been in the Yukon for the past fifteen years, the former as manager of a mine owned by Mr. Berry. All were well known and popular residents of this place in the nineties and have many friends who learned of the tragedy that had befallen them with feelings of keenest sorrow.

J. E. Garner was born at Stockton, January 7, 1869, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. R. Garner, both now deceased. Alfred R. Garner was born May 21, 1871, near Modesto. He was unmarried. Mrs. J. E. Garner was born in Redwood City, January 7, 1874, both she and her husband having the same birthday. Before her marriage she was Miss Nellie Paddock and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Paddock, both of Fresno, now deceased. She is survived by one brother, C. B. Paddock, of 3060 White avenue, this city, and five sisters: Mrs. George Selby of Quincy, Ill.; Mrs. O. Thomas of San Jose, Mrs. Clinton Nanny of Hanford; Mrs. Patrick of Elko, Nev., and Mrs. Will Coppin of 445 Effie street, this city. The Garners are survived by two borthers and one sister, J. C. Garner of Lindsay, W. K. Garner of Ferndale, Humboldt county, and Mrs. J. H. Shadle of White avenue and Abbey streets.

BARBOUR STARTS ON ANOTHER TOUR

Residents' Partisan Appeal Has Aroused Great Deal of Interest

In the few days remaining before the general election, H. E. Barbour, Republican nominee for Congress, will visit many places in the southern part of the Seventh congressional district. President Wilson's partisan appeal has awakened a great deal of interest in what was thought would be a very quiet contest and Barbour expects to reap the benefit that will accrue.

Until the President announced that politics had been recalled into session, the majority of the voters in this district had accepted his statement that "politics was adjourned" and were showing very little interest in the congressional contest, in fact this promised to be one of the quietest congressional contests ever waged in this district. But now all has changed. Those who were apathetic have suddenly sprung to life and the indications are that this contest will probably be the most interesting of the campaign.

Disguised Captain Drills With Men; Given Hard Grind

A practical joke, as part of the method of instructing the Fresno drafted men at drill, was played on the company by Captain S. L. Gallaher last night. The captain dressed in camouflage clothing and mask entered the lines, and was placed unrecognized in one of the squads as a private and drilled for half an hour. It happened that the young officers in charge were giving a particularly "intensive" drill, and the captain once more experienced what it means to be in the ranks. Incidentally he was severely called to order by some of the budding noncoms who did not recognize that an "enemy" had entered their squads. After drill, the captain expressed his appreciation of the progress made by the men. All were asked to attend noncommissioned officers' training school tonight.

The drill last night was conducted by Sergeant Henry Hopkins. Large numbers of the men are enlisting in military branches open to them. New men are recruited daily from those expecting to leave for training camps in a couple of weeks.

SAMMIETTES TO DRILL TONIGHT

The Fresno Sammiettes will undertake their first drill of the new season at Dickey playgrounds at 7:30 o'clock tonight. Mrs. Ethel Griffin, who has general direction of the organization, expects about 50 girls to drill tonight. The girls will have their first drill under their new drill master, Captain S. L. Gallaher, of the National Guard. Captain Gallaher will drill the girls each Wednesday night for the coming weeks.

FRESNO COUNTY BOY DIES OF 'FLU'

News of the death of pneumonia of Nathaniel Inman Hudson, formerly of Wheatville, Fresno county, has just reached here through the dailies of Anacortes, Washington, where he resided before his enlistment in November, 1917, in the medical department of the aviation corps. Hudson died on October 17, at an aviation camp on Long Island.

Hudson was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hudson, and was born in Wheatville. For the last nine years he had lived in Anacortes, being employed by the water company. He would have been 21 years old on November 20.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

To the Members of Fresno Chapter American Red Cross.

Please take notice that the Annual meeting of the members of Fresno Chapter, American Red Cross, will be held at the Municipal Auditorium, Fresno, Fresno County, California, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, at 8:00 P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

WILLIAM GLASS, Chairman

MRS. AL. BRAVERMAN, Secretary

October 17, 1918.

Fresno, Cal., October 25, 1918.

Due notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of Fresno Chapter American Red Cross, above referred to, has been postponed until November 13th, 1918, at the hour of 8 P. M., at the Auditorium.

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COMMITTEE OF 100 TO AID STEPHENS

More than a hundred loyal supporters of Governor Stephens will be called upon by Mayor W. F. Toomey, president of the Fresno Stephens-for-Governor club, to organize small committees of their own to carry on a man-to-man campaign in Fresno city and county to roll up an unprecedented majority for Stephens.

This step was decided on at a conference yesterday afternoon at which a number of Stephens leaders discussed the best method to round-up the full Stephens vote since the influenza epidemic precludes the holding of any public meetings.

REV. HODGSON'S DAUGHTER DIES

The board of stewards of St. Paul's M. E. church (south) met last night and passed resolutions of condolence to be sent to Rev. Mark Hodgson, formerly pastor of the local church, on the death of his youngest daughter, Olivia, of influenza in Sacramento on Sunday.

The Hodgsons left Fresno a week ago for Sacramento, where Rev. Hodgson had been transferred to the pastorate of the South Methodist church there.

Olivia Hodgson was about fourteen years of age, and is survived by her father and mother, one sister, Helen Hodgson, and four brothers, Ralph, Robert, Frank and Charles. Robert Hodgson is in training at Los Angeles; Frank is stationed at an eastern camp and Charles is in the S. A. T. C. at Berkeley.

Helen Hodgson, an older sister, who teaches at Bullard, left Fresno Monday night to attend the funeral.

HELD IN JUVENILE COURT

J. E. Carrol, charged with having issued a fictitious check recently in payment on a car purchased of Eugene Mathewson, was given a preliminary hearing in Judge Grahams' court yesterday and held to answer to the juvenile court. Bail was fixed at $500. Carrol is 18 years old. The case was prosecuted by H. J. Carling, deputy prosecuting attorney.

REPORT THEFTS TO POLICE

S. Vartenian reported to the police yesterday that he was held up and robbed of $160 in greenbacks. Another theft reported to the police was that of a coat belonging to Lillian Koch, 1108 O street.

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Mr. Business Man, whether you are a banker, merchant or farmer, if you had under your employment a man that you had trained for four years and was giving satisfaction, would you discharge him without a cause and replace him with a novice who is unfamiliar with your business, and spend money and time to train him?

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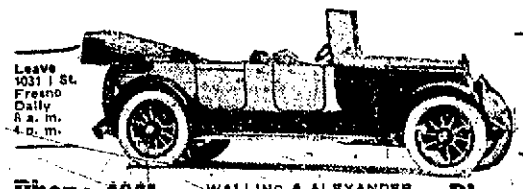

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200 MORE DRAFT MEN ARE CALLED FOR TESTS

Class One of "19-36" City Men to Be Examined This Week

Entire 700 Will be Ready for Call or Rejected by Saturday

With another 200 men ordered to report for physical examination tomorrow at the law library at the Courthouse the number already called by the city board reaches a total of 600. All of the men now being examined to Class 1 in the "19-36" draft call. Approximately 700 men in the city have been placed in Class 1 and the remaining 100 will be called for examination Friday. The list of those called yesterday follows:

Bachan Singh.
Harry C. Danich.
Anthony Donato.
Clifton E. Martin.
John D. Patterson.
Candido Gillio.
Daniel O. Trinidade.
Charles A. Carey.
John D. Cornett.
Domenico Pugliese.
Parkham I. Humstock.
Louis Christensen.
Martin J. Crane.
Louis Ginsberg.
Vincente S. Adnor.
Roy Hall.
Irwin W. Qualls.
Donald F. Hutchinson.
Fred Laubach.
Alex Blumenthal.
Walter H. Mills.
William F. Stuart.
McDonald E. Fyeat.
Bernie E. Thomas.
Harry Fenstermacher.
Elijah Crouch.
Maoso Niioka.
Ferdinand B. Bier.
Carl Geringer.
Henry Klein.
Albert J. Mertlik.
Herant A. Tufenkian.
Roy Briscoe.
Guy A. House.
Frank O. Girler.
Phillip J. Griffin.
Reo Gigliotti.
Louis Apodaca.
Henry V. Pleitner.
Vic Hoosepian.
Robert E. Boettcher.
Ole Petterson.
Ezekiel Witty.
Maitland Renstow.
Leisla F. Bertkin.
Nahabet Mauradian.
Ernest D. Soper.
Evano Trigg.
Warren H. McKelvey.
Robert Burns.
Wm. Albert Reiss.
Jolin J. Scheid.
Benj. F. Linville.
Ganio O. Celestino.
Sherwood Spurgin.
Laurence J. Christensen.
Milton H. Lee.
Joe Moreida.
Alexander Kerner.
Conrad H. Fries.
Henry Kuhn.
Gustave A. Diel.
Alexander Will.
Henry Markus.
Clarence Moss.
Hanford P. Jones.
Day Apalatea.
Raymond Fred Norenberg.
Wyatt James Mecartea.
Chas. Molinquest.
Walter Merril Dow.
James M. Shepherd.
Wm. Johnson Enoch.
Henry Bletcher.
Tom Glanopulos.
Harvey E. Genung.
David M. Steele.
Wm. Woodbury.
Konstantine D. Kosmas.
Walter S. Hodde.
Monroe D. Lamb.
Ohannes Khachiekian.
George Polychronis.
Nicholas D. Nitros.
Leslie Blain Willey.
Marcus John Bell.
Herbert Marvin Walden.
Axel Ardid Nelson.
Nigogos Kanzadian.
Anton Panteliaki.
Melik Mardirosoff.
Victor Riccomini.
Kissue A. Basmajian.
John Cleveland.
Manuel J. Pimentel.
Mads Nielson.
Russell Glenn.
Ellie R. Bristol.
Wm. Gramps.
Stanton D. Kniffin.
Jonel Barbu.
James Geddes.
Haig Hogroguian.
Onofrio Pierntoni.
Thomas E. Wellford.
Wm. Brosi.
John Peririch.
Alexander McKenzie.
Alfred Nielsen.
Robert A. Aubery.
Setrak Vartanian.
Louis H. Brown.
Phillip E. Gordan.
Willis W. McMullen.
James Oustler.
Ricardo H. Verdugo.
Petar L. Jovanovich.
Eli Kovacevich.
Bogboss Sukessian.
Lee Chon.
Tom Davis.
Anthony Kokich.
Manuie P. Marujaras.
Deleri Bryere.
Gus Danos.
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Aime Nicholas Florentine.
Henry Markus.
Sheley Patterson.
William Nicholas Shuster.
Eugene Clifford Lathrop.
Paul Schlotthauer.
Harold Geo. Higgins.
Lowell W. Sharp.
Henry Kemmer Jr.
Tony Gonzales.
Clarence N. Williams.
Edwin R. Coolidge.
Gordon McWhorter.
Sanford Lewis Dean.
David J. Joseph.
Harry Waldman.
John H. Duncan.
Henry S. Darlick.
Earl Lynch.
William S. Woodward.
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Harold C. Wolfe.
Charles Wm. Frederickson.
Jarvis R. Schaeffer.
Edward McCarthy.
Frank Clarke.
Morris J. Strosnider.
Chas. W. Parrish.
Chas. F. Salter.
Emil Pierron.
William Christensen.
James A. Lanier.
Frank W. Yolling.
Jacob C. Legler.
Frank Lewis Chelgreen.
Frank Hiram Owen.
Samuel A. Skeen.
Joseph D. Schreiber.
Percy L. Snider.
Dewey Staggs.
Luther Hussey.
Hugh M. Bell.
Buel Clifford Pond.
Carl H. Shuck.
Josh Edward Warner.
Haden R. Janes.
Harry T. Lindsey.
Herman C. Jeska.
Peter Petersen.
Leroy Toast.
Rally Althoff.
Guy Romeo Vignolo.
Jake Wm. Gardner.
Frank M. Smith.
Campbell Caldwell.
Bartholomeo Simone.
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Playgrounds Are Renovating During Enforced Vacation

By R. S. QUIGLEY.

The Fresno playgrounds are having the first vacation they have had for five years, or in other words, the first vacation since the playground system has been started in Fresno. In most business concerns or most institutions there is usually some part of the year which is called the dull season—in the playground department this would be hard to find. In the summer, when schools are out and the school vacation is on, the playgrounds are going at full blast. Then in the fall when school opens the playground ball leagues are organized and the big series of games is played off on the playgrounds nights after school. This is no more than under full swing than the playground club house season opens up and there are activities both before and after supper. Before there is any chance for monotony to enter into the game, the Christmas season is on and always great preparations are made on all the playgrounds for the holiday festivities. Then follows the week's Christmas vacation, in which pent-up energy is let out by the children.

The big New Year's dance always demands considerable attention, and right after that a series of indoor basketball, volley ball and playground ball games are of high importance to playground and recreation seekers. Of course, all this time there is going on various war campaigns, etc., which demand extra attention; also there are the usual holiday parties, such as Hallowe'en, Valentine, etc., which are always counted upon as joy days to the children. Then there is considerable time always devoted to the preparation of the Raisin Day festival, as all the playgrounds always sent in large delegations of representatives in the various departments of the Raisin Day festival.

The spring series of matched games and city championships are then decided, and before we know it all are getting ready for the summer vacation again; which is no vacation for the playgrounds, and looking forward to the celebration of Independence Day. So the wheel turns over from one busy season to another without hesitation. Occasionally extra celebrations are sandwiched in, such as Patriotic play week was this year, just for good measure.

Now that at last a vacation is enforced upon the playgrounds, and much to the sorrow of the children all the handball back boards, baseball backstops, basketball goals, and football goals are being painted. The children's slides are being painted, oiled and varnished, and the rest of the apparatus is being gone over.

The regular caretakers of the grounds are doing this work and it is not costing the city any extra money. All the buildings have just been fumigated and will be in a thoroughly clean condition when the playgrounds renew their activities.

The playground supervisors, many of them who have gotten behind in their vacations owing to the continual busy season of the playground department, are now getting a chance to catch up and enjoy thorough rest for a longer time than they have had since in the employ of the playground department. Unfortunately, four of the supervisors were afflicted with the influenza and have not had the full advantage of the vacation time. All these, however, are progressing nicely and will be fully recovered by the time the playgrounds are ready to re-open.

The playground department is preparing for a grand rush to the grounds the minute the ban is lifted and the padlocks are unlocked from the playground gates. Days and weeks are a long time for some of the children to pass by the playgrounds and look wishfully through the wire fence without even just one swing or one slide to ease them off.

When children stop swinging they usually like to "let the old cat die," so to speak for the playgrounds the "old cat is dead" until the influenza lets up, but happily the "old cat" has seven lives and will always come back.

The playgrounds commissioners will hold their regular meeting Thursday night, November 7, provided conditions will permit. The commissioners are: Mr. Ben Epstein, chairman; Mrs. George H. Taylor, Mrs. S. S. Hockett, Mr. Bart Harvey, Mr. H. J. McFarland, Mr. Berton Einstein, Mr. Frank M. Lane.

NEWMAN PRESENTED WITH GOLD WATCH

The employes of Kutner-Goldstein presented Dave L. Newman with a gold watch bearing a suitable inscription on the occasion of his leaving yesterday afternoon to take up Red Cross work in Italy. Mr. Newman has been associated with the firm for the past thirty years and is now dry goods manager. On behalf of the subscribers, S. Stanger made the presentation and Mr. Newman made a reply expressing his pleasure at such a touch of good feeling.

The watch bears the following inscription: "D. L. Newman, Fresno, Cal., from the employes of Kutner's I street store, October 29, 1918."

Mr. Newman is instructed to report in San Francisco tonight to receive final instructions before he leaves for Italy. He is to report in New York on November 6.

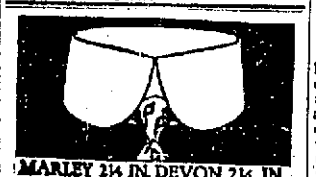
POLICE RECEIVE CAPTURE REWARD

The police department yesterday received the sum of $25 from Traffic Officer J. S. Aiken of Madera county as half of a reward given by an insurance company for the capture of A. C. Hawthorne and W. A. Jacobs, charged with having stolen an automobile belonging to a Los Angeles man. Hawthorne and Jacobs were captured by local officers after a severe battle at the Belmont avenue crossing of the S. P. tracks several weeks ago, when the bandits' car struck a telephone pole.

The officers participating in the fight were Inspectors Enos, Broad, Truax, Merrit and Motorcycle Officer Sayre. The money was turned into the policeman's relief fund.

G. A. BLUE FUNERAL TODAY

Funeral services for George A. Blue, who died at the residence, 835 L street, Monday, will be held at 3:30 o'clock today in Mountain View cemetery. He was 37 years old and is survived by the widow, Mrs. Mabel Blue, and daughter, Marjorie.



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MAURICE A. REED.

Funeral services for Maurice A. Reed, gunner with the 16th Balloon company at Fort Omaha, Neb., who died at that camp last Saturday from an attack of pneumonia, will be held tomorrow afternoon. The funeral cortege will leave the Powell undertaking parlors on Van Ness avenue at 2 o'clock for the Fresno crematory, where services will be conducted by Rev. Charles Laurant Beal on the lawn of the crematory. Mrs. R. Caldwell will sing.

Reed was born in Minneapolis in 1890, but came to Fresno with his parents as a boy. Previous to enlisting in the army he was employed by the California Associated Raisin company. He was also a student at Oregon Agricultural college, and had completed his sophomore year. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Reed of Fresno, and a sister, Mrs. Marvin McFarland of Los Angeles. The remains are expected to arrive tonight from Omaha.

LOCAL "Y" DRIVE GETS GOOD START

Captains Report $2,623.50 for the First Day's Collection

Fresno Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. drive for local funds to carry on the work of the Fresno associations is proceeding satisfactorily, according to reports made at the headquarters in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday. It was reported that the total for Monday's pledges and cash collections amounted to $2,623.50. The sum aimed at is $15,000, which is to be apportioned between the two associations. The Y. M. C. A. is to receive $9,000 and the Y. W. C. A. $6,000.

Captains of the various teams who are canvassing the city are instructed to report the results of their canvass each morning at the Y. M. C. A. building at 9 o'clock. The city has been divided into districts, but each captain makes a selection of the persons on whom he wishes to call, and reports the results next day.

Secretary George A. Forbes, who is managing the campaign, reports that by this system they are enabled to have a complete record of the supporters of the institutions. It was stated that precautions were being taken not to cause any confusion between the united war work drive and the present drive for local funds. The reason for having the drive at this time, Secretary Forbes said, was that no other opportunity was likely to be available for getting funds to keep the local associations going, owing to the war drives. After consultation with many of the prominent business men of the city, he said, it was decided that the associations should not be closed up for lack of money, but that special efforts should be made to raise the money before the united war drive began.

The results of yesterday's collection will be reported this morning. The reports of the captains yesterday morning were:

N. E. Caruine and P. J. Haber	$ 410.00
W. A. Conn and J. Stanley Moffatt	245.00
S. M. Cooper and A. T. Pearson	60.00
Mrs. S. S. Hockett and Mrs. W. F. Chandler	
M. W. McAfee and John Drenth	73.50
C. K. Wakefield and H. B. Dorland	127.00
Mrs. J. B. Dorsey and Mrs. J. Frances Dean	217.00
Speed B. Leas	120.00
C. R. Barnhard	90.00
Frank Hood and J. Eichelberger	
Miss Julia Sayre and Mrs. J. O. Cross	377.00
M. C. McWhorter	
C. H. Miller	500.00
Mrs. Peter Droge	
E. C. Hughson	
R. C. Palmer	
William Glass	
G. L. Aynesworth and A. W. Bernhauer	
Bart Harvey and Dr. R. T. Hall	
Total for first day	$2,623.50

Secretary Forbes said that for the next days of the drive, if the captains reported amounts similar to this, the success was assured. The money, he said, is absolutely necessary if the local associations are to be carried on, and as they are an asset to the community in placing a healthy moral environment in the life of the young people of the city.

DEL REY BURGLARS LODGED IN JAIL

Abel Carvzal and Jesus Lemos were lodged in the county jail yesterday on the charge of having burglarized a store at Del Rey, where they are alleged to have stolen about $100 worth of clothing and jewelry. About $75 worth of goods stolen by them in August or September, however, has been found. The men were arraigned before Judge Cotton of Sanger yesterday and placed under $1000 bail each. They were arrested by Constable Campbell and Deputy Constable Hamilton of Sanger.

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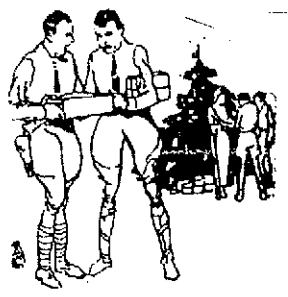

NOT many days from now the jingle of Christmas Bells will mingle with the roar of guns behind the lines "Over There." In shelters and many "Y" Huts kind nurses and helpers will distribute loving gifts from "the folks" to their boys in France.

Your boys should not be forgotten. Not much time either—only until Nov. 15 to mail your packages. Allow us to help you with the packing and in the selecting of the military things he needs.

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DIED OF DISEASE.

PRI. WILLIAM J. BURNS, 5610 Whitehouse Place, Los Angeles, Cal.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED.

PRI. WALTER W. SMITH, ...Victoria Apts., San Pedro, Cal.
SERG. GORDON S. KEITH .....Fontana, Cal.

WOUNDED IN ACTION (DEGREE UNDETERMINED.)

PRI. ELVIS ROSSELI .....Petaluma, Cal.

Marine Corps Casualties.

DIED OF DISEASE.

MAJOR HAROLD D. McLACHLIN, ...Los Angeles, Cal.
SERG. ROY T. BRAGG .....1168 Tenth street, San Diego, Cal.
PRI. DAVID W. LOPER .....412 East Forty First, Los Angeles, Cal.

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SECOND LIEUTENANT ARTHUR H. JONES, A. S. 147th Aero Squadron, Hayward, Alameda, Cal.
SECOND LIEUT ROGER W. HITCHCOCK, A. S. Pilot (sonce reported killed in action), Bernard Apts., Los Angeles Cal.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces:

Killed in action	17
Died of wounds	11
Died of Accident and other causes	3
Died of disease	74
Wounded severely	63
Wounded (degree undetermined)	167
Wounded slightly	89
Missing in action	58
Prisoners	2
Wounded in action (degree undetermined)	1
Wounded in action (severely)	3
Died of wounds received in action	1
Total	429

Section One, Army List

KILLED IN ACTION.

Corp. Virgil C. Pentz, Dorchester Center, Mass.
Privates
Louis Haycox, Acona, Ill.
Walter August Otto Hoff, Chicago, Ill.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Capt. Oscar Thomas Falk, Menominee, Mich.
Lieut. Lawrence H. Evans, Nephi, Utah.
Sergt. Walter A. Monanth, Miami, Fla.
Corp. Warren L. McIntire, Hayler, O.
Privates
Douglas E. Cummings, Beachmont, Mass.
Edward Duffy, Chicago, Ill.

DIED FROM ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES.

Lieut Harry A. Gross, Chicago, Ill.
Pvt. Ambrious R. Christensen, Dagmar, Mont.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Sergt. Robert B. Marshall, Bourbon, Miss.
Privates
Chas. W. Hafer Circleville, Ohio.
Alfred James Hartwick, Winamac, Ind.
Dolphus Herring, Greenville, Ga.
Wiley Hines, Crentlo, Tenn.
William A. Hirzel, Cleveland, Ohio.
Marion E. Houston, Mahl, Texas.
Girret Kersherbergen, Rockvalley, Iowa.
Fred Lazenby, Thompson, Ga.
Sam McLaughlin, Maxon, N. C.
Shad Pugh, Port Mitchell, Ala.
Alfred Richard Kipling, Brooklyn, N. Y.

WOUNDED SEVERELY.

Lieutenants
William O. Morgan, Highland Park, Ill.
Howard F. Ross, Blanchester, O.
Sergeants
Frank V. Gillie, Towanda, N. Y.
Charles Fletcher, Kalamazoo, Mich.
Corporals
Clifford T. Burtt, Twin Falls, Idaho.
Marshall C. Fowler, Hamlet, N. C.
Joseph Kelly, Philadelphia, Pa.
Buglers.
William A. Reilly, New York, N. Y.
William Henry Chase, Jr., Nantucket, Mass.
Privates
Glen C. Allen, Sidney, Mont.
Noah Blaker, Yoe, Pa.
Louis P. Brandau, Detroit, Mich.
Angelo Cataldi, Layton, Pa.
Rex N. Garrett, Cherokee, Iowa.
David Ginsburgh, New York, N. Y.
James E. Hill, Chateaugay, N. Y.
Oscar Mack, Weying Water, Neb.
June L. Parks, Sen Grove, N. C.
Peter Pongon, Cle Elum, Wash.
Donald A. Pullen, Hamden, Ohio.
James W. Roark, Roanoke, Va.
Robert R. Ruppecht, Adams, Mass.
Frank W. Ryan, Boston, Mass.
Peter B. Spangler, New Bavaria, O.
Harry E. Thomes, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Harry James Carny, Sharon, Mich.
Bernard J. Cosby, Midsathain, Va.
Albert Fritz, Berlin, Wis.
Gus Hollenback, Nanticoke, Pa.
Otis E. Hoyt, Haver Hill, Mass.

WOUNDED IN ACTION (DEGREE UNDETERMINED.

Lt. Joseph G. C. Conrad, Libby, Mont.
Sergeants
Leon R. Kirschka, Philadelphia, Pa.
Harry Gregory Morrell, State College, Pa.
Curtis George Rego, New York Mills, N. Y.
Joseph Benjamin Schleicher, Chicago, Ill.
August C. Spanar, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Moreland Alfred Warner, East Sault Ste Marie, Mich.
Walter Wiener, Galion, O.
Henry Zucker, Rose Bush, Mich.
Corporals
Curtis La Roy Byerly, Owesso, Mich.
Edward Howard, Pittsburg, Pa.
Herbert Huessner, Jamaica, N. Y.
Jno. D. Mills, Chicago, Ill.
Roy Murlatt, Harrisburg, Pa.
Frank LeRew Shade, Pittsburg, Pa.
Herman C. Slocum, Maywood, Ill.
Ernest G. Talley, Buckville, Ark.
Earl H. Titus, Philadelphia, Pa.
Phillip Van Derhinst, Detroit, Mich.
Buglers
George A. Reiff, Yonkers, N. Y.
Joseph D. Rosenberg, New York, N. Y.
Walter Zimmerman, Philadelphia, Pa
Mechanic Edwin Sutcliffe, Uxbridge, Mass.
Mell Alfred, Willspoint, Texas.
Luther L. Andrews, Addison, Ala.
Sylvester W. Bergbauer, Philadelphia, Pa.
Emil C. Berzquist, Superior, Wis.
William H. Blanchard, Buffalo, N. Y.
Thomas P. Cahraman, Richmond, Va.
Jno. J. Carlin, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Andrew Carlino, New York, N. Y.
Jacob S. Cray, Rutledge, Mo.
Edward L. Cormler, Marlboro, Mass.
James Cusack, New York, N. Y.
Arthur R. Foster, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Jno. L. Franconia, Dallas, Texas.
Tom Hutchison, Lampassas, Texas.
Andrew Keshnakox, Vilna Villeka Koloveshi, Russia.
Geo. W. Knierim, Stroudsburg, Pa.
Waclaw Kohlerski, Racine, Wis.
Jno. Michael Kohban, Farrell, Pa.
William Lawler, Philadelphia, Pa.
Thad Martin, Girard, Ala.
Elmer W. Miller, Fosston, Minn.
Ray F. Montague, Somerfield, Pa.
Edward Musil, New York, N. Y.
Geo. Niles, Barboabo, Wis.
Thomas F. O'Halloran, Worcester, Mass.
John J. Pollock, Binghamton, N. Y.
Alex Rabideaux, O' Danah, Wis.
Henry W. Rano, Whitehall, N. Y.
Ralph J. Reynolds, Elmira Heights, N. Y.
Wm. E. Roebuck, Mason City, Pa.
Frank E. Rouse, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Jos. Russo, New York, N. Y.
Willis A. Sadler, Philadelphia.
Louis Sarfeue, Carbondale, Pa.
Leo D. Shattuck, Sparta, Mich.
James C. Sheeley, Redmond, Oregon.
Sam Sims, Cuartes, N. M.
Fred V. Skidmore, New York, N. Y.
Frank C. Sullivan, Cambridge, Mass.
Mike Surynt, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Leo Howard Trombly, Monroe, Mich.
Fred J. Van Dyke, Athens, Ohio.
Walter H. Waidley, Aurora, Ill.
Frank Walchyk, Detroit, Mich.
Wm. Weinrich, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Charles A. Weiss, Jr., Richmond Hill, N. Y.
Leonard A. Welch, Nilwood, Ill.
James Thomas Williams, Defiance, Pa.
Peter Wever, Marshfield, Wis.
James B. F. Williamson, Brantley, Ala.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED.

Lt. Clarence W. Merrill, Newark, N. J.
Master Engr. Richard D. Leaf, Pottston, Pa.
Sergeants
Leslie G. Dodge, Avalon, Wis.
Herbert McKeown, Dayton, Ohio.
Harry McKinney, Grantsburg, Ill.
Edward Mack, Milwaukee, Wis.
Oliver C. Weiser, Philadelphia, Pa.
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Roy Eugene Blanchard, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Herbert D. Crothers, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Allen Courtney Duff, Crandon, Wis.
Samuel P. Graham, Gallatin, Mo.
William R. Kephart, McKee, Pa.
Percy McDermott, Rochester, N. Y.
Jasper Maddill, South Wayne, Wis.
Clyde Martinson, Alpena, Mich.
Elwood W. Rell, Kingston, N. Y.
Theodore K. Schmidt, Madison, N. J.
William Sylvester Schueber, Ontonagon, Mich.
James E. Watts, Olean, N. Y.
Arthur L. Whitmire, Central, S. C.
Wagoner Earl W. Anderson, Westfield, N. Y.
Mech. Adolph Gucat, Perth Amboy, N. Y.
Privates
Jno. Abramezyk, Detroit, Mich.
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Gustav Alfredson, Edane, Sweden.
John V. Chernake, Ulyessus, Neb.
Frank Clancy, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Floyd Frank Cronnin, Greenwood, Wis.
Glen Ellis Curtis, Amhherst, O.
Bohm Carl Dulven, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Donald D. Dunning, Wheeling, W. Va
Harold John Emmer, Hartford, Wis.
Paul E. Ervind, Beverly, Mass.
Jno. P. Foster, Hedgeville, Ky.
Jno. Gordon, Piney Fork, O.
William Guesswein, Harvey, N. D.
Earl Harris, Philadelphia, Pa.
Llewellyn Jones, New York, N. Y.
Wm. Keisling, North Andover, Mass.
Vincent Keller, Mt. Pleasant, Pa.
Glen H. Kirkpatrick, Richland Center, Wis.
Walter Kinsey, Dover, O.
Arthur H. Kitson, Chestnuthill, Pa.
Aug. F. Lind, Detroit, Mich.
Jno. N. McClure, Pittsburg, Pa.
Jno. P. McDevitt, Philadelphia, Pa.
Reinhart Macheel, Fox Lake, Wis.
Harry Mandeziara, Donegal, Pa.
Elmer Ellsworth Martin, Phillips, Wis.
Samuel Timothy Mitchell, Petoskey, Mich.
Jno. Mofatt, New York, N. Y.
Chas. S. Moore, Island Park, N. Y.
William Thomas Moore, Utica, N. Y.
Jan Rambecki, Hamtramck, Mich.
Alvin Rigway, Buffalo, N. Y.
Thomas Roberts, Wallis, Texas.
John M. Rose, Baltimore, Md.
Boleslaw Roszki, S. Omaha, Nebr.
Emil Rabschmitt, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Rudolph J. Rung, Buffalo, N. Y.
Alvin Charles Sauer, Jackson, Mich.
Han H. Schroeder, Spokane, Wash.
Roy M. Sherman, Aurora, N. Y.
Jacob R. Shive, Ferndale, Pa.
William Smith, Talladega, Ala.
William T. Spearman, Baltimore, Md.
Clarence Stolenbach, Junction City, O.
Jno. Thompson, Monticello, Ky.
Jno. Ireland Van Iderstine, Huntington, N. Y.
Wayne Alfred Waterman, Chili, Wis.
Joseph Wawrzik, Munhall, Pa.
David Whittington, Grayson, La.
Christopher Whyte, New York, N. Y.
Jno. Kinkowski, Buffalo, N. Y.

MISSING IN ACTION.

Lt. Cassius H. Styles, South Hero, Vt.
Corporal Herman C. Roop, Mansfield, Ohio.
Privates
Ruben A. Bennett, Milwaukee, Wis.
Jno. C. Borneburg, Milvale, Pa.
Corrodo Corradino, Portland, Maine.
James F. Houlihan, New York, N. Y.
Ralph Dewit King, Crete, Neb.
Wm. E. Thurston, Mt. Vernon, Maine.

Section Two, Army List

KILLED IN ACTION

Privates
Amajio Alasce, South Manchester, Conn.
Ignatis Bigas, Tacoma, Wash.
Harvey Brown, Chester, Pa.
Bertchcall Odom, Blakely, Ga.
Nicholas Dematti, New York, N. Y.
Donald Alden Ghest, Ostego, Mich.
Edward A. Hantschke, Brooklyn, N. Y.
John J. Kerberg, Jeffersonville, Ind.
Charles E. Kuhlihan, Delaware, O.
Eugene W. Rogillio, Rogillioville, La.
Martin Saar, Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Corporal Clifford Carmier, Bedford, Mass.
Privates
Bartholomew F. Butler, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Theodore Jordon, Atlanta, Ga.
Solomon Lee, Cubbage, Ky.
Oscar Swanson, Roedhuset, Helsingberg, Sweden.

DIED FROM ACCIDENT

Private Joseph Aloysius Riley, Queens, N. Y.

DIED OF DISEASE

Lieutenant Clifford G. Park, Dexter, Maine.
Sergeant Walter A. Laucke, Newark, N. J.
Corporal William C. Hampton, Englishtown, N. J.
Bugler William Henry Cabanne, St. Louis, Mo.
Privates
Henry M. Behle, Lancaster, O.
Ernest Behrens, New York, N. Y.
Ernest M. Bell, Lexington, Mo.
Clarence Boyd, Abbleville, I. C.
George L. Bucklin, Minneapolis, Minn.
Jacob C. Clendennin, Mechanicsburg, Pa.
John B. Conlin, Madison, Wis.
Howard Hurst, Greenville, Miss.
Frederick A. Johnson, Galveston, Texas.
Giles Jones, West Point, Miss.
Steve Mikolayewski, Plymouth, Pa.
Harold S. Powers, Nashville, Mich.
Otto Wagner, Maystown, Ill.
Sam Warren, Jr., Alfalfa, La.
Stanley Washburn, Hillsboro, O.
Max A. Weiss, Woodbine, Ia.

WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED)

Captain Vincent P. Rousseau, Charlotte, N. C.
Lieutenant Frank Strong, Philadelphia, Pa.
Sergeants
Curil W. Razel, Burlington, Ia.
Lue E. Schrock, Nashville, Ind.
Albert Sorenson, Racine, Wis.
Vincent Ziska, Platte, S. D.
Corporals
Henry C. Gottfried, Woodcliffe, N. J.
Joseph H. Lemire, Lowell, Mass.
Privates
Roy S. Hume, Seligman, Ariz.
Joseph Orban, Holyoke, Mass.
Roy Pollitt, Morristown, Ind.
Floyd Battley Randall, Gibion, Neb.
Oliver P. Staggs, Ft. Thomas, Ky.
A. F. Smith, Freeport, Ill.
Lowell J. Stormont, Youngstown, O.
Leon S. Zezwarczewicz, Cicero, Ill.
Francis H. Taylor, Parkersburg, W. Va.
George A. Thompson, Yonkers, N. Y.
William D. Tice, Lyles, Tenn.
Thomas E. Tobin, Dorchester, Mass.
George Trevena, Butte, Mont.
William R. Vaughn, McLeansboro, Ill.
James A. Watson, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Orlando J. Williams, Racine, Wis.
Charles E. Willis, Conon, Ky.
Harry Zeichner, New York, N. Y.
Stephen Bondinin, Cheshire, Mass.
Charles T. Boyd, Stuart, Va.
Harry Z. Buckley, New York, N. Y.
Rosario Fischetti, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Herbert Flitcroft, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Walter B. Gothard, Bridgeport, Ala.
Henry Grusel, Brooklyn, N. Y.

WOUNDED SEVERELY

Sergeants
Lawrence Aubery, Houghton, Mich.
Nelson D. Auclaire, Center Falls, R. I.
Nelson W. Moyer, Lebanon, Pa.
Corporals
Harry Allard, Menominee, Mich.
Victor J. Laplante, Pawtucket, R. I.
John Toohey, Waltham, Mass.
Cecil M. Tuttle, Waco, Texas.
Bugler Abe Goldberg, Philadelphia, Pa.
Privates
Leonidas Addington, Harrison, Ida.
Patrick H. Allen, Susanville, O.
Joseph Argo, New York, N. Y.
William Basely, Inwood, N. Y.
Alfred E. Bates, Bronxville, N. Y.
Albert Beisdert, Lowell, Mass.
John S. Brannum, Ashley, Ill.
George A. Carroll, New York, N. Y.
Augustus James Chaison, Arichat, Richmond Co., N. S.
Allen Eugene Colwall, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Lee Earhart, Caney, Okla.
John F. Foster, Jr., South Chester, N. Y.
Frank P. Gibson, Kimball, S. D.
Philip Gottenman, New York, N. Y.
Oba Henry Grady, Ridgeway, Mich.
Hugh D. Graham, Ludlow, Ill.
Chester F. Kroger, Cincinnati, O.
Grant C. Robinson, Cashion, Okla.
Bryant D. Silvey, Bowling Green, Ind.
George H. Smith, Saratoga Springs, N. Y.
Michael Thiod, Inster, Mich.
Franklin E. Titus, Detroit, Mich.
Warren H. Tobey, Quincy, Mass
Carl Wallace, Kane, Pa.
Charles Warcovles, Pittsburg, Pa.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

Lieutenant Kenneth T. Tucker, New York, N. Y.
Corporals
Rudolph Lange, Oconomowoc, Wis.
Harry D. Totman, Athol, Mass.
Privates
George Edward Bennetts, Mass City, Mich.
Edison M. Green, Waynesville, N. C.
Eugene M. Hartley, Jacksonville, Fla.
Arthur William Labahn, Detroit, Mich.
John D. Overturef, St. Louis, Mo.
Anthony Rogalinski, Milwaukee, Wis.
Frederick G. Rusk, Blakesley, O.
Harry Terhark, Ackley, Ia.
Charles D. Vossler, New York, N. Y.
Carl P. Wite, Rockford, Ill.

MISSING IN ACTION

Sergeants
John Adam Buckell, Erie, Pa.
James H. Moore, Wilmington, Del.
Corporals
Walter D. Jones, Inako, Ky.
Ralph E. Wyman, Boise, Ida.
Privates
George F. Abderholden, West Hoboken, N. J.
Paul Bartman, St. Louis, Mo.
Joe Bernotes, Akron, O.
George K. Bradford, Rayne, La.
Albert Bradforth, Walden, N. Y.
James Bruno, Brooklyn, N. Y.
George Chatman, Indianapolis, Ind.
Philip Greenfield, Chelsea, Mass.
Harry E. Hardy, Chicago, Ill.
Alfred R. Irwin, Philadelphia, Pa.
Alex Konetskie, Augustaio, Russia.
Frank Lodick, Tyrone, Pa.
Russell M. Loper, Mason City, Ia.
Guy L. Luther, Mason City, Ia.
Sidney C. Newsome, Fort Dodge, Ia.
Clifford Olive, Dumont, N. J.
George A. Parker, Westfield, Pa.
John H. Rieck, Verndale, Minn.
John Satger, Milwaukee, Wis.
Cyril Setekar, Chicago, Ill.
William M. Thurne, Detroit, Mich.
Ove Tonder, Omaha, Neb.
Rufus M. Tounsley, Tampa, Fla.
Walter C. Tzinski, Baltimore, Md.
Salvatore Ventimiglia, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Albert W. Walters, East Syracuse, N. Y.
John E. Whalen, Sioux City, Ia.

Marine Corps

KILLED I N ACTION

Private Eben Bradbury, Jr., Newbury Port, Mas.

DIED OF DISEASE

Lt. Richard Boydston, Bloomington, Illinois.
Second Lieut. Frank C. La Gue, Philadelphia, Pa.
Marine Gunner Carl J. Clementsen, Grand Forks, N. D.
Corporals
Henry D. Anderson, Pleasant Lake, Ind.
John H. Morgan, Austin, Tex.
Daniel O. York, McLeansboro, Ill.
Privates
Cecil M. Barnett, Durant, Okla.
Edwin Berg, Brandon, Minn.
Thomas L. Bridges, Iverness, Miss.
James R. Brighton, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Chas. W. Coffey, Staunton, Va.
Eugene R. Durand, Bristow, Ia.
Early C. Forrestall, Eldorado, Tex.
George R. Glintz, Hamilton, Md.
Frances B. Goudy, Cannon Falls, Minn.
Louis Hallperin, Jersey City, N. J.
Clair D. Harbey, Nashville, Mich.
Joseph J. Hoesch, Milford, Ia.
Abner B. Partin, Gonzales, Texas.
Wm. O. Jarnigan, Bridgeport, Tex.
Jens J. Jensen, Winside, Neb.
William G. Judkins, Waco, Texas.
Ralph P. McAdams, New York, N. Y.
Chas. P. McClure, Fayette, Miss.
Wilson A. Morris, Shelby, Iowa.
Henry C. Mautz, Philadelphia, Pa.
Casper H. Neiderhause, St. Louis, Mo.
Thomas L. Robbins, Euild, Ala.
Jay E. Roberts, Glen Elder, Kas.
Henry Schmidt, Cincinnati, O.
Edward Le' G. Schuler, Wilcox, Pa.
Ulysses R. Servat, LaFayette, La.
James W. Showers, Cynthiana, Ind.
Harry S. Smith, Sparta, Ill.
John M. Sutton, Bell Buckle, Tenn.
Philip S. Trilock, Roseburg, Ky.
William J. Walsh, Chicago, Ill.
Frank E. Wolfkill, Philadelphia, Pa.

DIED OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION

Private Nelson Peterson, Dayton, Idaho.

WOUNDED IN ACTION, SEVERELY

Sgt. Leo L. Liptac, Streator, Ill.
Corp. Fred A. Bunting, Norristown, Pa.

WOUNDED IN ACTION (DEGREE UNDETERMINED).

Pvt. James A. O'Brien, Cincinnati, Ohio.

MISSING IN ACTION

Corporals
Wm. L. Calvert, Mineral Wells, Tex.
Thomas F. Ellis, Fall River, Mass.
Harold T. Stoy, Pocatello, Idaho.
Privates
Walter A. Bailey, Solon, Ohio.
Francis R. Bucklew, Kingwood, W. Va.
William F. Burke, Udall, Kas.
James W. Clift, Cincinnati, O.
Ralph Corder, Coshocton, Ohio.
Thomas J. Corlett, New York, N. Y.
Floyd Dobson, Alice, Minn.
Tony Eads, Mills Springs, Mo.
James M. Fetters, Youngstown, O.
Harry Greenspan, Springfield, Mass.
John E. Griggs, Waco, Ky.
Percy A. Stanton, Waddams, N. Y.
George J. R. Vene, Greenfield, Md.
Bryan P. Wells, Dewitt, Ark.
Orville D. White, Kingwood, W. Va.
Robert L. Woodburn, Plain City, Ohio.

IN HANDS OF ENEMY

Pvt. Wayne J. Colahan, Lewiston, Mont.

Killed in Action—Previously Reported Severely Wounded
Pvt. William Lietz, Salt Lake, Utah.

Severely Wounded in Action—Previously Reported Missing
Pvt. Jay F. Rose, Sailnville, Ohio.

In Hands of Enemy—Previously Reported Missing in Action
Pvt. Fred H. Domke, St. Louis, Mo.

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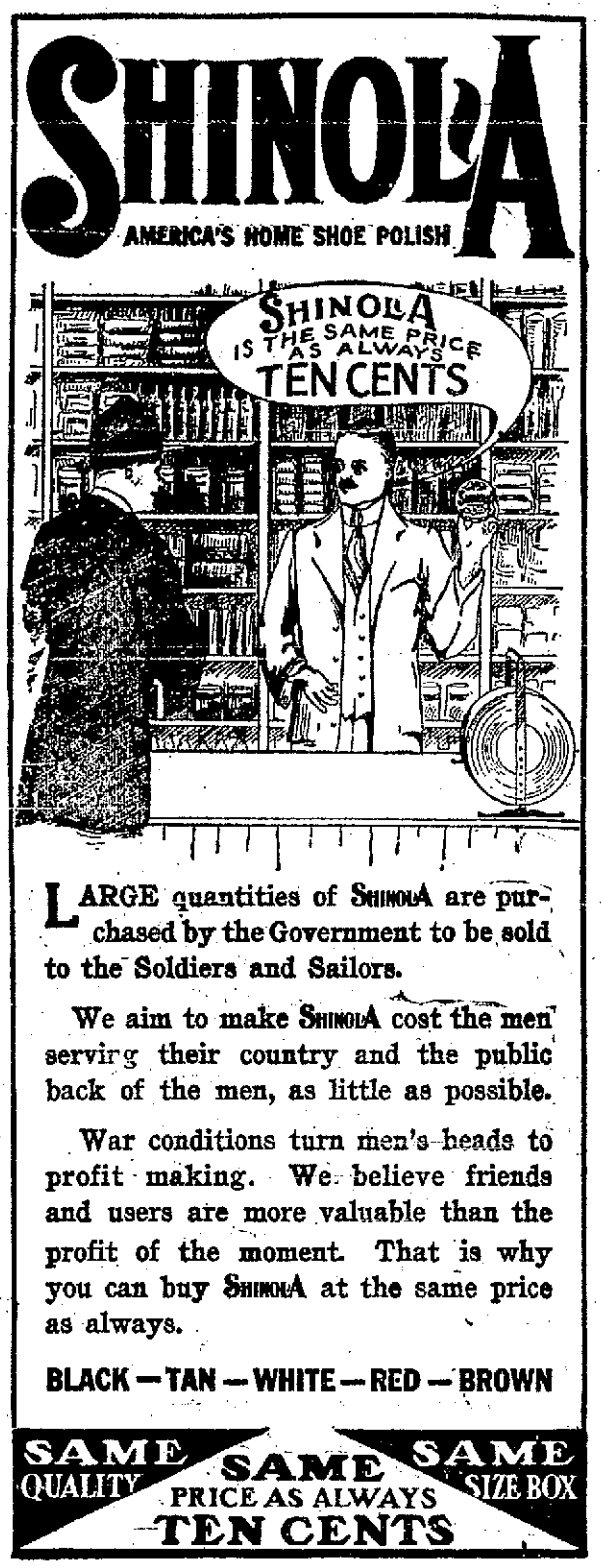

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I am glad to see in the columns of The Recorder that you have decided to become a candidate for the Assembly, to represent the southwestern district of Fresno county.

Your statement has in it the true ring of a patriotic and progressive citizen. At this time there is great need in the legislature for men of your high ideals, ability and standing. It is with keen pleasure that I have noted your decision to be a candidate. The people of California need the best men they can get to represent them in the Assembly, and I do not know of any better representative that your district could have than yourself.

I can assure you that my only regret is that I cannot be of more assistance.

Yours respectfully,
FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON.

(Copy)

MR., MRS And MISS VOTER.

Having the personal endorsement of many and the written endorsement of our worthy state treasurer, I would appreciate YOUR endorsement at the polls next Tuesday. May I have it?

Respectfully,
B. W. McKEEN,
Republican-Prohibition Candidate for the Assembly, 50th District.

How They Suffer

A friend of mine stopped at a farmhouse in the country a short time ago; and while there, his attention was attracted toward the mother of the family, because of the evident suffering she was enduring, and hail experienced for a long time. Her face was greatly contorted around the eyes, which were terribly strained in the effort to see, so that the ladies in the car noticed her agony, and spoke of it later.

This was the case: The mother of a large family, in rather poor circumstances, money not being very plentiful she is enduring ceaseless agony, rather than incur expense for eye treatment and glasses.

This poor woman represents thousands of other people who suffer in the same way, though not from the same reason. Some delay securing glasses, because they think that glasses will make them look old, or mar their good looks. Others are not willing to spend the money on their eyes that they want to use elsewhere. Still others are ignorant of the great relief and comfort to be gained from wearing eye glasses after they become accustomed to them. Others again deceive themselves with the idea that their 50 or 60% of sight is equal to their former normal vision. But—meanwhile, all these people are ruining their eyes and destroying their vision to save trouble and expense.

Perhaps "a word to the wise" in many cases will be sufficient. If so, I can give you immediate relief, and better vision.

D. E. W. Larsne

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BEGIN TRIAL OF FORMER PREMIER

Prosecutor Declares Caillaux Help to Germany in War

PARIS, Oct. 29.—Sitting as a high court, the French Senate today began its sittings for the trial of ex-Premier Caillaux, Deputy Louis Loustalot and Paul Comby. Th accused persons were not present as the proceedings are only preliminary.

The court appointed a committee to study the enormous mass of evidence transmitted by the magistrates who heretofore have been investigating the case.

When the committee has finished its inquiry the court will resume its sessions. It is not known how much time the committee may require.

Only a few persons were in the public gallery. When the roll was called it showed fifty-four absentees. The legal representatives of the accused were not present, but Crecaldi, Caillaux's counsel, was in the public gallery.

The adress of Theodore Lescouve, the prosecutor, tonight akes up eight closely printed columns of the Temps. The prosecutor concluded his adress by charging the accused men with having conspired against the external safety of France by maneuvers and machinations with the enemy and by aiding enemy enterprises.

Lescouve during his presentation of the case gave quotations from documents in Caillaux's handwriting which were found in a bank in Florence. He said he did this to show Caillaux considered the French press more responsible for the war than Germany. The prosecutor said that Caillaux in April, 1915, believed the war was lost and this defendant always war more occupied concerning the making of peace than the winning of the war. The program Caillaux had drawn up for France after peace would have meant civil war, the prosecutor adde.

Lescouve dealt at length with Count James Minotto, son-in-law of Louis F. Swirt, a Chicago packer, who is interned in the United States, but who is alleged to have made a confession concerning a plot to disrupt the Entente Allies and bring about a new war in which the Teutonic Allies, with France, Italy and Spain would be arraigned against Great Britain and Russia. The prosecutor gave a detailed biography of Minotto and traced his relations with Baron Von Beelieck, son of a German officer, and Hugo Schmidt, western United States agent of the Deutsche Bank of Berlin, both of whom are interned in the United States.

Conversations of Caillaux while in Italy also were freely gone into by the prosecutor. Caillaux was quoted as having said in Italy that the war could not last until the autumn of 1917, owing to France's lack of raw material for the manufacture of munitions and because of revolutions in Algeria and Senegal.

Says Minotto Loyal

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Alfred L. Becker, deputy attorney-general of New York, issued a statement today intended, as he said, to clear Count James Minotto of any possible suspicion that his associations with the principals in the Caillaux-Luxburg conspiracy to bring about a separate peace between France and Germany in 1915, pointed to his guilty participation in the plot.

Elaborating his announcement that Minotto had talked with the utmost freedom in preparing a sworn statement for the use of the French government in the prosecution of Joseph Caillaux, former premier, for high treason, Mr. Becker declared that Minotto's deposition was made with a desire to be of assistance to the American and French governments. The deputy attorney-general expressed his belief that Minotto never was a conscious agent of the German government, and although interned as an enemy alien "is wholly loyal to the United States."

DIRECTS REMOVAL OF ALL RUBBISH

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29—Railroad employes were instructed today by Director General McAdoo to observe next Saturday which has been proclaimed national fire prevention day by most state governors "By the removal of all fire apparatus and a resolution to make and keep tidy hereafter all the property of the railroads wherever situated."

AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN VLADIVOSTOK

Western Newspaper Union.

American soldiers are here shown marching in a parade given in their honor by the town of Vladivostok in Russia through which they are passing. This is symbolical of the spirit with which the Americans are received all over the continent and the British Isles as well.

DISMISSES CASE AGAINST COLGATE

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 29.—Federal Judge Waddill today dismissed an indictment recently returned against Colgate & Company for alleged violation of the Sherman law. This action was on a demurrer by the company, which the court sustained.

Judge Waddill sustained the contention of the company that a manufacturer, provided he is not in conspiracy with other manufacturers of similar products, has the right to fix and enforce the maintenance of reasonable and fair prices and that such a manufacturer is violating no law in refusing to sell again to a retailer who fails or refuses to maintain such a fixed price.

Price cutting demoralizes business, the court declared and the public is not always benefitted by temporary reductions in prices if the article is not a necessity and if no monopoly exists in its manufacture.

O'LEARY REFUSES TO BE EXAMINED

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Jeremiah A. O'Leary, former editor of the Bull, whose trial in Federal court on a charge of conspiracy to violate the draft laws was postponed last week because of illness, today refused to submit to examination by two physicians appointed by the court, the physicians reported tonight. The court will decide tomorrow whether O'Leary, who was removed from the Tombs to a hospital, shall be placed on trial again immediately.

TO ENLARGE CUDAHY'S

CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—E. A. Cudahy, president of the Cudahy Packing Company, announced today that a readjustment of the company's capital and surplus will be made at the annual meeting, November 29, when it is expected that the capitalization will be increased to $35,000,000. Holders of common stock will, it is planned, receive one share of new stock for each four shares they hold.

AVIATOR KILLED AT NORTH ISLAND

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 29.—Second Lieutenant James Kinnear, an army aviator, was instantly killed shortly before 11 o'clock today when the plane in which he was flying fell from an unknown height to the flying field at Rockwell field, North Island. Kinnear had been in the air for some time, and the first intimation ground observers had of an accident was when his plane was seen falling in a zigzag manner. The plane struck near the center of the flying field, Kinnear apparently being killed by being crushed under the machine. What caused the accident has not yet been determined. Kinnear had been at Rockwell field for several months, being sent there from the Berkeley preparatory school. His home was in Newman, Cal.

STEAMER IN TOW TO SAN FRANCISCO

EUREKA, Cal., Oct. 29.—The steamer Mandalay, which went ashore on the Fauntleroy rock near the mouth of the Klamath river Sunday morning, was believed tonight to be enroute to San Francisco in tow of the steamer Necanium. The Necanium left Brookings, twenty-five miles north of where the Mandalay went ashore, in time to have reached the Mandalay and taken here in tow tonight, it was said.

The crew of the Mandalay landed at Crescent City today.

PARIS, Monday, Oct. 28.—(Havas)—In celebration of the first anniversary of the entrance of Brazil into the war on the side of the Allies, American and French officials today gave a reception, President Poincare and Foreign Minister Pichon were represented and the Japanese ambassadors and the ministers from Portugal, Serbia and Belgium attended in person. Gabriel Hanotaux, the former premier, and the Brazilian minister made addresses.

REPORT PARTY'S ELECTION COSTS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The Republican national committee's detailed report on pre-election expenses, filed tonight, showed total receipts of $492,345, and expenditures of $469,096, most of which was sent to aid in the various state campaigns. The senatorial and congressional national campaign committees received $35,000 each.

The largest contributions were $5000 each by J. Ogden Armour and J. P. Taylor of Chicago, and Alfred J. Sweet, Auburn, Maine. The other contributions ranged down to $50. James A. Patton, Chicago, gave $3500; Will H. Crocker, San Francisco, $3000; C. M. Warner, New York, $2500; E. J. Buffington, Chicago, $2000; Samuel P. Colt, New York, $1500; Mrs. L. W. James of Baltimore gave $3000, and Ethel Crocker, San Francisco, $1000.

Among the many contributors of $1000 were John D. Rockefeller, Sr., John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Larz Anderson, Mortimer Schiff, Coleman Du Pont, James Deering, Charles Deering, Robert H. McCormick, John D. Spreckles, Dan R. Hanna, R. T. Crane and George W. Perkins.

AGAIN BOMB HUN FORTS ON RHINE

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The British independent air force again has been busily engaged in bombing German positions far behind the battle line and has met with god results, according to the official communication tonight.

"On Monday we carried out heavy attacks on the Morhange and Frescaty airdromes," says the communication. "Monday night we atacked the Radischer soda factory at Mannheim and the railways at Treves and Saarbruecken. The railway junctions of Longuyon, Ecouviez and Thionville also were atacked with excellent results.

"Today the railway junction of Longuyon and the airdrome at Jametz were attacked."

U. S. TO EXHIBIT CAVALRY HORSE

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The United States government has entered the thoroughbred stallion Adams Express in the annual exhibition of the National Horse Show Association, to be held here the week of November 11. So far as is known, this is the first time the government ever appeared in the role of a horse show exhibitor.

Adams Express, which is regarded by experts as the most perfect specimen of horse flesh in the army, will be exhibited to show the type of horse suitable for improving the nation's cavalry stock.

RIOTS OCCUR AT CONSTANTINOPLE

ATHENS, Oct. 29.—(Havas).—Rioting has broken out at Constantinople and Smyrna, according to a dispatch from Mitilene Island of Les Ilos to the Patris. At both cities, the dispatch adds, Germans were attacked.

Half Again as Many

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 29.—Although an increase of 50 per cent over yesterday was shown in the number of new influenza cases, sixty-one, reported here today, not a death resulting from the disease was reported. At the same time, the city health board issued another appeal for all who come in contact with the public to continue wearing gauze masks, and that only by full co-operation would the trouble be stamped out.

The quarantine at Camp Kearny, where there have been many military cases, is continued, and no announcement has been made as to when it will be ended. On the other hand, Fort Rosecrans, where several hundred artillery men are being trained, no cases of the influenza have been reported. Restricted liberty is allowed to the several thousands sailors in the naval training camp here.

SALONIKI, Sunday, Oct. 29—General Danglis, commander-in-chief of the Greek army, has arrived in eastern Macedonia. He reviewed the Greek troops today and expressed to the commanders his lively satisfaction over the good conduct and excellent morale of the sodiers. The Greek forces are impatient to continue the campaign for the deliverance of the Greek population in Thrace and Asia Minor.

THOUSAND MOTORS BUILT EACH WEEK

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Production of American aircraft has now reached a stage where it is being limited practically only by facilities for transporting the airplanes to France. The production of Liberty motors during October reached a stage of 1000 a week, a goal which had not been hoped for, at least until December.

The latest official compilations show that since June 1 approximately 2500 fighting airplanes of all descriptions have been shipped to the American forces in France. When it is realized that none of the belligerents at any time since the beginning of the war has had more than 3500 airplanes actually in service, the significance of an American production of 2500 airplanes in five months becomes apparent. These 2500 planes include nearly 150 heavy bombers, and the remainder are planes of all classes, including observation machines and day bombers.

Reports from all the production centers show the results rapidly growing. The American forces have been moving so rapidly during the last few weeks that it has been found necessary to give up some of the transportation space which was intended for airplanes to other material.

Tonight's report showed that there were more American airplanes awaiting shipment at points of embarkation than could be loaded.

In speaking of fighting airplanes, the single-seated plane in which are fought the spectacular duels of the air is not included. These types are changing so rapidly that officials say it never will be practical to build them elsewhere than almost upon the battle field. All the American-built planes, however, are fighting planes, armed and equipped to care for themselves on the duty for which they are designed.

THE WORLD WAR

Austro-Germans

PARIS, Oct. 29, (Havas).—The executive committee of the German parties in Austria has formed a provisional government, according to a dispatch from Vienna, and has decided to send a separate note to President Wilson.

The Arbeiter Zeitung of Vienna declares that Germany and Austria-Hungary will capitulate without delay.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29—Country clubs are allowed to use bituminous or steam anthracite coal whenever in the opinion of the state fuel administrator there is a surplus of this fuel for the purpose, under an order today by Fuel Administrator Garfield. They will not be permitted to use domestic sizes of the anthracite coal for cooking or heating.

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 29.- Lieutenant M. F. Maxwell of New Hope, Pa., at Park Place, near here, received probably fatal injuries today when the plane in which he was flying struck a tree top and crashed to earth near the aviation field. His skull was fractured.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—J. K. Neslet, president of the Butte (Mont.) Miner Publishing Company, has been made representative of the pulp and paper division of the war industries board for the district of Montana, Wyoming and Idaho, it was announced here today.

FRENCH DIPLOMATS

PARIS Monday, Oct. 29.—G. F. Alapetite, the French resident general in Tunis, has been appointed ambassador to Spain. Senator Etienne Flandin will become resident general in Tunis.

WHY YOU SHOULD VOTE FOR HEALTH INSURANCE LAW

San Francisco, Oct. 28, 1918.

Editor Republican:—As president of the California State Federation of Labor, may I ask you the courtesy of a few paragraphs in your paper to correct some of the misinformation that has been spread broadcast about health insurance? The state is being flooded with pamphlets against health insurance. They are issued by "research" societies and leagues that are evidently well financed and not over-anxious to help in the conservation of paper!

I believe that the people are going to ask themselves why all this expensive effort is being made to save them from this particular legislation, and they won't be fooled by these circulars.—

When they stamp a cross after "Yes" on ballot No. 20, they are voting with organized labor, voting with Hiram Johnson, voting as McAdoo, Dr. Alexander Lambert, head of the American Red Cross in France; as David Lloyd-George, premier of England, and as men of that caliber would vote were they here to register faith in health insurance as the great forward step for California.

Were you ever sick on your back?

Did you ever lie there and wonder how you'd get enough money to pay the rent and get food for the wife and children?

Health insurance will help the sick worker to get it just as industrial accident insurance helps the injured worker to get it.

He pays nothing toward industrial accident insurance, but he will pay half of health insurance—and pay it willingly.

Health insurance will stimulate better health-first standards, just as industrial accident insurance brought new and better safety-first measures.

Safety-first standards have reduced the number of accidents, but safety-first does not meet the particular problem of the particular workman who is sick on his back and needs the best medical or surgical care.

If your appendix is about to explode, it will not help you that the board of health has appointed a new sanitary engineer.

It is necessary that a surgeon and your appendix become immediately acquainted with each other.

Health insurance will accomplish that introduction at the least possible cost to the worker. Also it will give the family something to live on while he is sick.

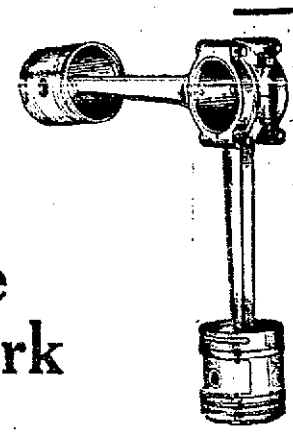
Any worker, organized or unorganized, who fails to vote for No. 20 is voting against his own best interests and the best interests of this state.

Very truly yours,
DANIEL C. MURPHY,
President, California State Federation of Labor.

GREAT OUTPUT OF CARTRIDGES

Production of cartridges for machine guns, rifles, revolvers and pistols has passed the 3,000,000,000 mark. The war department announced last week that 2,510,628,510 cartridges have been made for machine guns and rifles and 275,524,200 for pistols and 366,007,400 for miscellaneous purposes.—Washington Post.

Out of the soil of despair
Blossomed life's flower I'd missed;
And I could mother them all—
All in the casualty list!
—Willis Steell in N. Y. Sun.



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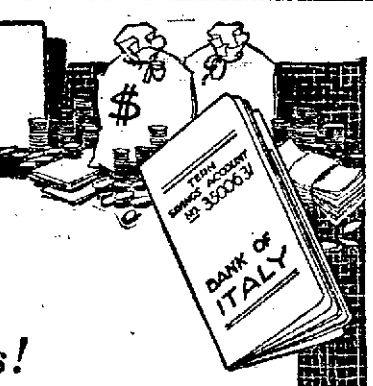

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It Is I Who Speaks—T. R.

Do not allow yourself to be confounded by the vicious attack made upon President Wilson by Theodore Roosevelt, *despoiler of the party that now hails him as leader.*

We have *no quarrel* with those who *are loyal to him.* We have no quarrel with those who have so often stood him up again upon the pedestal from which he has so often fallen, on which he no longer can find safe footing.

Many Americans love Theodore Roosevelt. And because Quentin fell to death from above the red fields of Chateau Thierry, many love Roosevelt today who flayed him yesterday.

Theodore Roosevelt had *waited long* to make the *bitter arraignment of President Wilson* that he cried out at Carnegie Hall last Monday night.

Since President Wilson named General "Black Jack" Pershing instead of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt of San Joan Hill to lead America's millions against the gray hordes, Mr. Roosevelt has waited. *But not with patience.*

While he waited for his great opportunity to *lash* with *bitter tongue* his successor as leader of the great American people, Roosevelt, with the *characteristic persistence of the egotist,* has been running up and down the highways and byways of the nation, telling the people *what Wilson ought to do.*

Since America entered the war, Roosevelt has been chief *hectorer and heckler* of the administration of President Wilson

So loud at last became his cries that *REPUBLICANS* and *DEMOCRATS* and the *millions without party affiliations* made *vigorous, public protests* that the *ramping, intractable Roosevelt* was giving *comfort to the enemy* by *spreading abroad* the conviction that the American people were *half pro-Wilson* and *half anti-Wilson.*

Notes were sent to Chamberlain and Lodge, and Roosevelt made many trips to Washington to look over the Democratic job and make repairs here and there.

He made a *public nuisance of himself.*

And then when brave Quentin met heroic death, public indignation subsided and the whole American people grieved with their ex-president.

Vicariously Roosevelt made his way back into the public heart. His boy had died for Old Glory.

But now—much as we regret that Roosevelt by his bitter arraignment of President Wilson has made it necessary—the time has come when we must call on the loyal American people of the San Joaquin valley to *look back a few years* and allow their memory to return its ownindictment against Theodore Roosevelt.

Have you forgotten that in the time of his presidency, Theodore Roosevelt was called *America's first absolute autocrat?* Do you remember how he chopped off the heads of those who opposed him, and used abusive letters and not an axe as his weapon? But many felt an axe would have done the job less painfully.

Do you remember that there was fear that T. R. might cease to stand for Theodore Roosevelt and come to mean "Theodore Rex"?

Do you remember Theodore, the Autocrat of the White House?

Your memory is not *so dead* that we need review the autocratic administration of Theodore Roosevelt.

Let us pass on to the first President in the history of the United States who named his own successor. *His name was Theodore Roosevelt.* The man he named to succeed him was William Howard Taft. No other candidate had any chance. Roosevelt *had whipped his party into line.*

And now YOU REPUBLICANS, have you forgotten how Roosevelt flayed Taft when Taft refused to be *the rubber stamp of Theodore I?*

Roosevelt had the brass to stand on the platform at Carnegie Hall last Monday night and call upon the people of the United States to vote against their *greatest War President* and support the candidates of the Republican party, *the party to which Roosevelt first was traitor and then destroyed.*

"I come to this meeting as an American," Roosevelt announced, "and only as an American."

Then he made the most partisan speech that has yet been uttered in this campaign—a speech he was *asked to make by Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican National Committee,* to render impotent the great plea of Woodrow Wilson for a *united nation* and a *loyal Congress* to the end of the war.

Roosevelt, then, has again become the *accepted leader* of the political party *he destroyed.*

What is the significance of the choice of Roosevelt as the mouthpiece of the Repubilcan party—the man chosen to make answer to the President of the United States?

Think it over and then remember how many times you have been glad that Theodore Roosevelt was *not* the nation's leader in the greatest crisis in the history of the world—Roosevelt, who would have rushed us into war before the public mind had listened to the case of the United States vs. Germany and had brought in a verdict so unanimous that those 500,000 Germans over here with which Gerard was threatened by the Kaiser *did not dare rise up.*

Why President Wilson Called On All Voters to Stand Behind Him

Why President Wilson called on the American people to return a DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY to CONGRESS is plain. He had discovered a political cabal to elect a Republican Congress on the ground that the Wilson administration which has been intelligent enough to accomplish tasks of such magnitude that all of Europe has looked on in wonder, would not be competent to bring about the readjustments after the war or even make peace terms at the end of the war it had successfully waged. That such a political cabal exists—a cabal organized to strip President Wilson of all power and place Congress in full control of the war and affairs of government, leaving Wilson nothing more than a figurehead—is proved by letters sent out every day in the week to Republican Editors, signed by Will H. Hays, marked very personal, letters the contents of which you will see almost daily in newspapers obedient to Chairman Hays.

Here are parts of one of the letters, dated REPUBLICAN NATIONAL Headquarters, 452 Fifth avenue, New York City, October 18, 1918:

Dear ———:

Peace may come upon us over night just as did war—shall we be as unprepared to meet it?

The great, immediate and pressing problem continues to be the complete winning of the war.

But, hand in hand, calling for attention is to prepare properly NOW for the problems of peace.

The coming Congress will be a Reconstruction Congress.

The perils of peace are so complex as to bring terror to thinking minds—what may happen unless all foreseeable readjustments are arranged far in advance, none can measure.

Immediately peace comes, millions of workmen, in war industries, may be thrown out of employment, by cancellation of war orders.

It is presumable the men in training in cantonments here will quickly be mustered out—preparation must be made for their employment.

Factories which have been converted from peace to war work, will require months to return to peace time production.

A labor panic is thus possible and the farmer is likely to find the urban market closed to him, through lack of buying power.

All such problems can and should be prepared for NOW.

There follows, after a declaration that the Republican party alone is able to accomplish all these great tasks, a great number of reasons why.

The letter is signed by WILL H. HAYS.

And perhaps that is why Henry Hawson's opponent promises to support the administration until the Democrats have won the war so that the Republicans, blessed with God-like wisdom, may step in and deal with the problems of peace.

Labor has no fear that Wilson will fail them—Labor does not feel the need of a Mark Hanna to help them over their after-war anxieties. No President of the United States ever has been such a friend of labor as President Wilson.

It is inconceivable to us that the farmer will need the aid of the Republican party. Unless we are mistaken it was President Wilson's administration that organized the Farmers' Loan Banks.

WE DO NOT WANT TO CHIDE HIM--WE WANT TO HELP HIM

I sometimes wonder if those of our public men, who are so determined to reserve their inalienable right to criticize, appreciate the unenviable position in which history has always placed the critics of war Presidents. Washington had the Congressional cabal to contend with, and Lincoln was accused of "incompetence" and "pusillanimity." I will not say that the critics of Washington and Lincoln were disloyal. But they certainly were unfortunate.

Our critics do not realize the sober temper of the people. We are suffering anguish of heart and spirit. Our boys are marching to the defense of our blessed country. They are fighting like heroes; they are dying like martyrs. We want the cries of party rancour to be hushed. The rivalries of candidates and factions are polluting in this hour of sacrifice.

Providence, which has always been kind to the United States, has again, in this time of need, given us a great American to lead us in the paths of honor. We do not want to chide him. We want to help him. We do not propose to surround him with critics, but rather with loyal supporters. He needs, God knows, our help. The country is resolved he shall have it.—Extract from speech by Bainbridge Colby, Progressive.

SUPPORT PRESIDENT WILSON BY VOTING FOR HAWSON

:-: News From Central California :-:

INFLUENZA CAUSES SHORTAGE OF HELP

RIVERBANK, Oct. 29.—The Santa Fe shops and rip yards have thirty-eight employes off duty today on account of influenza. Most of the cases are mild with the exception of Chief Clerk Wallace, who is quite ill. Work is very plentiful and men scarce. The employes adopted the "flu" masks today and hope in this way to lessen the number of cases in the yards.

Foreman San Julo is again on duty after a severe attack of the "flu."

Foreman Patton and his crew of men started work on the new coach track today, which will be 1,800 feet in length. They have not yet completed the wash track on account of a shortage of supplies. Foreman Patton reported that he had only two men ill to date, and all are now at work.

J. W. Jones has returned to work after being off duty for several weeks.

Mrs. Miller, wife of L. W. Miller, storehouse keeper, arrived yesterday from Topeka, Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are stopping at the King.

Charlee Ward, Jr., of Bayonne, N. J., arrived here this week and is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ward.

W. L. Larrabee and family are expected here in a few days from Modesto to again locate on their ranch east of town.

W. I. Grimes, of San Bernardino, arrived here this week to take the clerk's desk at Foreman San Julo's office during the illness of Clerk Wallace. Mrs. Grimes accompanied her husband. They are stopping at the Park apartments.

George Bowers, who arrived here from Pennsylvania a few days ago, is a new employe at the shops.

The McHenry school, located one and one-half miles west of Riverbank, opened its doors again yesterday, after having had a holiday on account of the "flu."

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bush returned to Fresno yesterday, after a few days' visit at the home of V. C. Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Meese, of San Francisco, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Webb.

Gerald Staley, of Modesto, was here this week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Kimberling and daughter were called to Stockton today to attend the funeral of Miss Katie Pyne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pyne, of Escalon, who had died at that place the first of the week. Miss Pyne was a niece of Mr. Kimberling.

PATTERSON LANDS CHANGE OWNERSHIP

PATTERSON, Oct. 29.—The following changes in land ownership have recently been made in Patterson Colony: Anton Gamma, who lives on Sycamore avenue, has purchased an additional ten acres of the Patterson Ranch Company, adjoining his land on the north. John A. Enger has sold his farm on Sycamore avenue to Alfred M. Peterson of San Francisco, who has also purchased of the Patterson Ranch Company an additional twenty-acre tract adjoining the Engen property on the south. Peter Hanr, recently purchased twenty acres of land on Fig avenue of M. M. Silvaria, and has about completed the erection of a tank house on the premises.

M. C. White, who recently purchased a large farm on Lemon avenue, arrived in Patterson Monday with plans for buildings which he expects to put on his place at once. He brought along a tractor to cultivate his land with.

Mrs. E. Woodridge returned Sunday evening from a week's visit with her daughter at Alameda.

The Del Puerto hotel registered over Sunday E. R. Paterson of San Francisco. The register also shows the names on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Townsend and A. E. Chandler of Merced, who were laid up here for repairs to their automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones of the Del Puerto hotel have very recently lost a daughter, Mrs. Fragerlund of San Francisco, from Spanish influenza. Mrs. Fagerlund had been visiting her parents here a couple of weeks ago and her mother accompanied her home. She had only been home a few days when she was taken ill, and Mr. Jones was summoned to her bedside. She only lived a few days after she contracted the disease. She was a young woman only recently married. Both Mr. and Mrs. Jones are still in San Francisco.

GAME WARDEN HAS INFLUENZA

DUNLAP, Oct. 29.—F. A. Bullard, game warden, and his family are recovering from a severe attack of the influenza.

W. M. Adams and family of Fresno are spending the week with L. O. Bobo and family.

Allen H. Hill and family of Sanger and C. Brown and family of Parlier motored to Neff's sawmill Sunday on business.

J. E. Sheibley and son, W. L. Sheibley, and R. E. Sheibley business man of Reedley, motored to Millwood Sunday on a fishing trip.

A. C. Austin, Dunlap merchant, has gone to Woodland for a few days to inspect his farm and will return by way of Berkeley on business.

Misses Fern Akers, teacher in the Dinuba schools, and her sister, Ruby, are visiting their father, who is at Dr. J. L. Young's sanitarium near here.

W. T. Carver was called to Stockton to attend the funeral of his son William, who died in that city on the 24th inst.

Walter Lee of Mojave, a fireman on the railroad, has been confined in the company's hospital with a severe case of the influenza. He is now visiting with his family at the residence of W. T. Carver and his family.

Miss Marjorie Hinds, teacher in the Exeter schools, and Miss Moranda, a teacher in the Fresno schools, are visiting with the R. Hurds here for a few days.

Will Baker, and Fred Relander of Exeter, and Miss Blanche Baker of Merryman and Miss Pearl Baker, a teacher in Ishom Valley, are spending a few days with Mrs. S. J. Baker here.

Bross Cowan and family of Fresno are visiting with Mrs. Cowen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Work.

Mrs. Ray Bland, teacher of the Mill Creek school, and her mother, Mrs. A. C. Beard, are visiting friends in Fresno.

Charles Band and family of Dinuba are spending a few days with the family of Mr. D. P. Thompson.

Jay Robinson and family of Dinuba and Mr. Adam Park and family of Cutten motored to Dr. J. L. Young's home Saturday and returned to their homes Sunday.

Irvine P. Alen has moved his office to 709-10 Griffith-McKenzie Building. —Advertisement.

MODESTO SELECTS GARDEN DIRECTOR

MODESTO, Oct. 29.—C. L. Anderson, supervisor of agriculture in the Modesto city schools, and district leader of boys' agricultural clubs, has been named United States war garden director for Stanislaus county through recommendations made by Chairman W. H. Langdon of the Stanislaus council of defense. Anderson came to the Modesto schools from Tulare last March, and despite the lateness of the season secured the planting of 250 gardens by school children. In the grammar schools more than 300 boys and girls are engaged in some food-producing activity as a regular part of their work in agriculture. Two clubs have been organized in the high school this fall, similar to those carried out last spring, one, a pig-feeding club, and the other a sheep-growing organization. Some 125 pupils have planted winter gardens. The work is conducted under the supervision of the University of California extension division and the United States department of agriculture. All this work will be merged with the work of the United States war garden army movement to which Mr. Anderson has just been appointed.

EXETER EPIDEMIC IS UNDER CONTROL

EXETER, Oct. 29.—The local health board has the Spanish influenza under good control at the present time, and it is confidently expected that public gatherings will be allowed after next Saturday. The schools are preparing to reopen November 4.

Miss Mabel Dillenbeck of San Francisco has arrived to take a position in the Woodrow Wilson grammar school, made vacant by the resignation of Miss Ruth Rhodes, who is now principal of the Cutler schools.

A party consisting of Messrs S. J. Brainerd, Arch S. Loomer, J. R. Allticker, A. A. Loomer, R. C. Stadtmiller, Zenas Mac Clain, Orval McNay, and Willard Mixter will leave tomorrow morning on a two day trip up Giant Forest way. The main feature of the trip will be a visit to the recently discovered Crystal Cave near the Old Colony Mill.

The local packing houses are being put in order for the packing season, and picking is beginning in a small way.

Miss Alice Moorhead of Blairsville, Pa., is visiting at the home of her nephew, W. S. Clauson. Miss Moorhead will leave the latter part of the week for Los Angeles, but will spend the winter in California.

The Red Cross rooms were open yesterday for the first time in several days. The November quota has been received and officers announce it will mean very active work to complete the allotment of refugee garments by November 30.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Balaam have received word from their son, Carnall Balaam, now at the S. A. T. C. of the University of California, that he is to leave very shortly for Camp Zachary Taylor at Louisville, Ky., where he will enter an officer's training camp. Robert Young, who was Mr. Balaam's guest just before the young men returned to college, is already at a camp in Virginia.

Word has been received by Mrs. Howard H. Hough from her husband at Camp Rosecrans, that he is enjoying the work and conditions there very much. Mr. Haugh left in the last contingent, being the only Exeter man at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Dorr of Patterson are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos Warror near town.

CHARGE ENGINEER WITH USING PISTOL

TULARE, Oct. 29.—Because his brakeman signed him too vigorously to slow down as he was backing his engine across the street crossing on Tulare street to hook on to a car loaded with a fancy Holstein bull, Engineer William Moore of the Southern Pacific freight No. 347 is alleged to have drawn a revolver on M. H. Collier as the latter walked toward the footboard of the engineer's cab. The affair was reported to the superintendent, who ordered a warrant sworn out for Moore's arrest, and on complaint of Brakeman Collier City Recorder A. W. Fetting issued the warrant and City Marshal E. E. Jennings placed the man under arrest and brought him before the judge. Moore denied having a gun and gave bonds for appearance tomorrow.

WILL RECRUIT TANK SERVICE

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 29.—Lieutenant Warren F. Myers of the tank corps, whose headquarters are in San Francisco, will not be in Bakersfield as planned. His trip will be postponed to the end of the week on account of sickness which has incapacitated a member of his staff. Lieutenant Myers was coming to discuss the tank service with a number of local men who desire to enlist in this extremely dangerous department. He will also attempt to interest recruits in this line. A number of eager young men were on hand today, thinking Lieutenant Myers had arrived, and left disappointed to wait until the end of the week, when he is next expected.

SELECTS SEED FOR MAIZE CROP

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 29.—Assistant Farm Adviser E. L. Garthwaite was in the Rio Bravo, Shafter and Wasco districts yesterday conferring with the farmers on the selecting of the milo maize to be planted next season. Where possible, selection of seed is made while the grain remains standing, so that uniform growth of stalk and heads may be obtained. Two other important subjects brought under discussion were the amount of wheat acreage which will be planted to the cereal in Kern county, so that next years' acreage may be increased, and increasing of the herds of sheep. The government is encouraging the small farmers and stockmen to have sheep that a greater amount of wool may be produced and there will be no shortage, as there was last season.

Riverbank Resident Passed Ship Sophia on Trip from Yukon

RIVERBANK, Oct. 29.—Paul Pants, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Frantz, returned from Dawson and Fairbanks, Alaska, this week, where he had been for some time. He reports that his ship passed the Princess Sophia on their way out. The Princess Sophia was afterwards wrecked and all passengers and the crew met death in the Lynn canal. The weather was fair when he sailed from Alaska.

ADOPT ORDINANCE FOR MASK WEARING

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 29.—At a meeting of the city council last night the council determined that the people in Bakersfield should wear masks when in public. Following is the ordinance:

"An ordinance providing for and regulating the wearing of gauze masks, making the violation and providing a penalty therefor.

"Whereas, The immediate preservation of the public health and peace and safety require the passage of an emergency ordinance requiring the wearing of gauze masks during the prevalence of the present epidemic of influenza;

"Now, therefore, we have ordained by the council of the city of Bakersfield as follows:

"1. Every person within, or who comes within, the city of Bakersfield during the prevalence of the present influenza epidemic, shall at all times and places within said city, wear a gauze mask of a design approved by the health officer of said city, providing, however, that said mask may be removed at all reasonable times for the purpose of eating and drinking, and providing further than the mask shall not be worn in private homes or private rooms unless a case of influenza shall exist in said place.

"2. Any violation of this ordinance or any part thereof shall be declared to be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine, not exceeding $100, or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 50 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

"3. This ordinance shall be in force and effect immediately as an emergency ordinance."

Dr. J. G. Telfer, state district health officer, was in Bakersfield last night looking into the situation here and seeing what was needed. He stated that the crisis in the disease was probably reached and that it would continue for several days. After that he thinks there will be fewer new cases daily.

As yet the condition is unchanged.

CHANGE IS GIVEN IN SEWAGE ACTION

HANFORD, Oct. 29.—Judge M. L. Short today granted the motion of the city of Reedley for a change of venue in the action brought by the People of the State of California as plaintiff against that city as defendant, in a quasi-criminal action brought to prevent the pollution of Kings river waters through the disposal of sewage into it.

The action is based on a ruling by the state board of health, which, although making such a ruling, has allowed Reedley to dispose of its sewage into Kings river—under certain regulations. The state board's ruling was that no agricultural products produced on farms irrigated with water polluted with sewage are to be used for human consumption. On the theory the contamination of Kings river, which supplies the irrigating canals of the district, would render farm products hereabouts unsalable and unfit for food, including butter, milk and cream.

PNEUMONIA CAUSES FATALITY IN SELMA

SELMA, Oct. 29.—Mrs. John Lamore died this afternoon from pneumonia, which followed an attack of Spanish influenza, making the fourth victim in this city. There was little change in the situation here to day, the number of new cases about the same as during the past two days and only two or three of the several cases here reported to be in critical condition. The officers are rigidly enforcing the order to wear masks, and have announced that any further offenders will be obliged to pay fines into the Red Cross treasury.

DEL REY GIRL DIES AT LODI

DEL REY, Oct. 29.—Miss Florence Griffith is the second victim of influenza from this community. She died Saturday night at Lodi, where she was attending school. Services will be held from the Byrne chapel in Selma Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Burial will be in the Prairie cemetery. Her family are well known residents living two miles northwest of town, and have the deep sympathy of the community.

The parents of Evan S. Hughes have received word that he is now in a military hospital in San Francisco, and will be home on a furlough as soon as the epidemic permits. Evan, who belongs to the First Balloon Company in France, has been furloughed on account of an attack of spinal meningitis. He had been up at the front before being taken sick.

James Benfro is another Del Rey boy who has been returned on account of physical disability. He has been in the service four months and was honorably discharged from a camp in New York. He arrived home Saturday night, to the surprise of his wife, mother and sisters.

GUARDS SECURE RIFLES

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 29.—Capt. O. W. Carr of the Porterville company, California Home Guards, has receipted to the city officials for rifles which are to be furnished to the company, and which were purchased with city funds. Uniforms have been issued to the company members and it is expected drill under arms will be in progress by the end of the week.

Pioneer Woman Is Called at Clovis After Long Illness

MRS. EMMA GIBSON,
Pioneer Resident of Clovis, and Wife of Former Mayor, Who Died in That City Yesterday.

CLOVIS, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Emma Gibson, wife of L. W. Gibson, former mayor of this city, and a resident here for more than a quarter of a century, having seen the place grow from its start to its present size, died this afternoon at 5 o'clock after a lingering illness. Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons and one daughter, Clyde L., Frederick and Floyd, the latter two at the government electrical school in Norfolk, Va., training for the army, and Susan living at home. She is also survived by her parents and three brothers in Missouri, and one brother in Oakdale. She was aged 52 years and was a member of the Christian church and was prominent in the social life of the community.

ENTRAINMENT WILL BEGIN IN NOVEMBER

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 29.—It is hoped that by November 1st entrainment of draft men on the Pacific coast may be started again. This announcement was made by Chairman Herman T. Miller of the local draft board, No. 1. Adjutant-General Borree of Sacramento has requested local boards to send him the number of men who will be ready for the camps by the first of the month.

There has been no entrainment for the past three weeks on account of the influenza epidemic throughout California. The air service is now open for enlistment, the local boards state, and men are needed in mechanical and radio work.

Class A-1 registrants of September 12 may be inducted with other men of previous drafts and deferred standing. There is a short time for enlistment.

RECEIVE NEWS OF DAUGHTER'S DEATH

GARFIELD COLONY, Oct. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Taylor, for over 20 years residents of Wolters Colony, near Fresno, received the sad news of their eldest daughter's death on Saturday morning at De Kalb, Ill. Mrs. E. Will Baldwin (Alice May Taylor) was born near De Kalb, the old home of the family, on May 20, 1878. She was united in marriage to E. Will Baldwin on September 10, 1898, and has made her home in her native city most of her life. She has made several visits to her people in Fresno county during the time.

Besides her husband, a son, Edward W., survives her; also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Taylor of Fresno; two brothers, Arthur P. of near Clovis, Albert E., of Fresno City; a sister, Mrs. L. J. Harrison of near Clovis.

Albert E. Taylor left on the early Santa Fe train last Saturday to be with his sister, while the news of her death came only a few hours later.

DEATH SUMMONS FORMER FRESNAN

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 29.—Frank C. Wagner, aged 25 years, former resident of Fresno, died in Bakersfield yesterday. His body was shipped to Fresno for burial by the Payne-O'Meara Undertaking Company last night. In Fresno, Stephens & Bean, undertakers, have taken charge. He is survived by his wife, two children, two sisters and a brother, who is unable to attend the funeral on account of the quarantine at Mare Island, where he is stationed; also by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wagner, formerly of Fresno. The family will go north to attend the funeral, which will be held Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

HOLD FUNERAL SERVICES

REEDLEY, Oct. 29.—The funeral of Stephen Hicks, a pioneer of Dinuba, was held in the Reedley cemetery this afternoon.

J. P. Kliewer has sold his lot on G street, between 11th and 12th streets, in Reedley, to Carson Reid.

The funeral of Roy Cox was held this afternoon, with interment in the Reedley cemetery. He died last Wednesday in Cashmere, Wash., and the body, accompanied by the widow and small son, arrived in Reedley this morning.

INSTALL NEW FIRE ALARM.

HANFORD, Oct. 29—The work of installing new fire alarm boxes and repairing a number of others to put the system in perfect shape, was begun today by men from the factory of the firm furnishing the system, and under the supervision of Fire Chief Charles E. Kendall. The work was provided for in a recent bond issue and additional boxes are included which extend the system to newly built-up sections of the city.

BOY FRACTURES ARM

SELMA, Oct. 29.—The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles King broke both bones of his arm below the elbow this afternoon when he fell from a hay on which he was playing.

MADERA PHYSICIAN HAS BAD ACCIDENT

MADERA, Oct. 29.—Dr. R. R. Dearborn met with a serious accident last evening, and escaped death by a miracle when his automobile plunged into a canal at the crossing of the Fresno river at the dam on the river. The accident was caused by the removal of the old bridge on the road, and no warning signs having been placed there. At this point the canal banks make a sharp drop of fifteen feet. A new bridge has been constructed recently by the canal company and the old one removed. There is nothing to warn the autoist of the change on the west side of the canal. Dr. Dearborn was making a hurried sick call, and not noting the change in the location of the bridge, made the discovery too late to stop his car or make the turn. He took his chances by dropping into the canal, and dropped down to the bottom of the car as it made the plunge. The car struck on its nose and turned over, the rear end hitting the opposite bank of the canal, which held up the heavy car and perhaps saved the life of the physician. The car was a total wreck. Dr. Dearborn suffered a sprained ankle and severe bruises. He crawled out from under the wreckage and walked to Storey, where he phoned to town for another car. He was unable to resume his practice today.

INSTITUTE IN KERN TO BE HELD LATER

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 29.—L. E. Chenoweth, county superintendent of schools, had planned to hold the annual trustees' institute on November 2. On account of the prevailing epidemic he has postponed this meeting. His letter, in part, mailed to all of the trustees of Kern county, follows:

"I had arranged the annual trustees' institute to be held on November 2, 1918, but owing to the great spread of disease and the general uncertainty as to when matters would begin to adjust themselves, I am obliged to postpone this meeting until some time toward the middle of November. Due notice will be sent to you at that time and I hope that we will have a record meeting with practically every trustee in the county in attendance, as there are many important matters to be discussed.

"Please send in any suggestions you have concerning topics which you would like to discuss or hear discussed."

INFLUENZA TAKES FOUR IN COALINGA

COALINGA, Oct. 29.—Four deaths in the past forty-eight hours from influenza, brings the total for the past eight days to twelve, with quite a number of other cases in a serious condition. The latest deaths reported are those of Mrs. Bertha Bell Heim, who died Sunday evening; Edward Woods, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods, who passed away Monday, and Waylon Thomas a barber, and Young Crump, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Crump, both of whom died this morning.

The city is still under strict quarantine, with everyone compelled to wear masks, and all places of business closed early each evening, and all schools, theaters, pool halls, soft drink establishments, club and fraternal meetings, churches and public meetings of any kind strictly prohibited.

IRRIGATION CASE RESUMES HEARING

VISALIA, Oct. 29.—After a recess of several weeks, the case of the Tulare Irrigation District against the Lindsay-Strathmore Irrigation District was resumed this morning before Superior Judge W. B. Wallace. The case is expected to go on uninterruptedly until it is completed, a matter of some two months in the opinion of attorneys.

This morning the defense continued the introduction of its case by submitting measurements of wells on the Rancho de Kaweah, owned by the defendant district in the Kaweah delta. These measurements cover a period of several weeks.

TEACHERS ENJOY WIENIE ROAST

DELANO, Oct. 29.—The teachers of the high and grammar schools, who are enjoying an enforced vacation, went out on Thursday night about four miles north of town to a point near the Holsapple ranch and had a "wiener roast," which also included roast corn and potatoes. The party was a very jolly one. Those going out were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Baker, Mrs. Emma T. Taylor, Mrs. Hallie Dorsey, C. J. Roupe, and the Misses Elizabeth Mary Bucklen, Ora Chrisney and Eskaline Stewart.

Mrs. J. Perrin and little son of Los Angeles are guests of Mrs. T. D. Hewitson and family.

Miss Ruth Mallock is at her home in Berkeley for a short time.

Mrs. D. E. Cameron of San Francisco is visiting at the J. J. Schlitz home.

Mrs. H. Zeirt and baby daughter, who have been visiting at the W. C. Brunner home for some time, returned to her home near Stockton on Saturday.

Miss Grace Mitchell is at home during the closing of the school at Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Glenny of Los Angeles called on Mrs. Glenny's mother, Mrs. McClintick, on Saturday on their way to Fresno.

Ray Hawley came over from Porterville and spent the day Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hawley.

CHARGE THEFT OF AUTOS

MODESTO, Oct. 29.—L. M. Stalker, of Chowchilla, is in the Stanislaus county jail because of his fondness for appropriating automobiles. Stalker visited Modesto Saturday and went to Turlock by stage, where he stole an automobile belonging to G. B. Welch. He was arrested with it at Chowchilla by Sheriff George Davis and returned here. Davis says that Stalker has confessed to the theft, which is but one of several to his credit.

Births, Deaths and Marriages in the San Joaquin Valley

BORN.

BICKNELL—In Coalinga, October 23, 1918, to the wife of James E. Bicknell, a daughter.

JESSE—In Coalinga, October 28, 1918, to the wife of Burrell Jesse, a daughter.

CANFIELD—In Coalinga, October, 25, 1918, to the wife of C. E. Canfield a son.

STILLIENS—In Exeter, October 29, 1918, to the wife of George M. Stillions, a daughter.

DIED.

SOUZA—At Modesto, Amelia, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Sousa.

DONKIN—At San Francisco, October 27, 1918, Miss Daisy E. Donkin, 37, native of Stanislaus county. Interment at Modesto.

PARKER—In Coalinga, October 26, 1918, John Frank Parker, native of Missouri aged 70 years. Interment will be held in the Santa Cruz cemetery.

LIGGETT—In Coalinga, October 25, 1918, William Arthur Liggett, native of California, aged 38 years. Interment was made in the Hanford cemetery.

HOWARD—In Coalinga, October 24, 1918, Mrs. Ola Iris Howard, native of Maine, aged 28 years. Interment was made in Mountain View cemetery Fresno.

DEVINE—In Coalinga, October 25, 1918, Andrew Marman Devine, native of Pennsylvania, aged 24 years. Interment was held in the cemetery at Los Angeles, October 27.

WOODS—In Coalinga, October 28, 1918 Edward T. Woods, native of Indiana, aged 8 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods. Interment was held in the Hanford cemetery.

HEIM—In Coalinga, October, 27, 1918, Mrs. Bertha Bell Heim, native of Iowa, aged 30 years.

LICENSED TO WED.

RASCHEN-LOWRY — At Modesto, Frederick W. Raschen, 35, San Luis Obispo, and Emma L. Lowry, 35, San Francisco.

POLLARD-FARRELL—At Modesto, Stephen T. Pollard, 55, Merced Falls, and Emma Farrell, 40, San Francisco.

OROSCO-CARDIEL—In Visalia, October 28, 1918, Domingo Orosco, 23, and Litra Cardiel, 18, both of Exeter.

YIELD OF ALFALFA SEED IS SMALLER

MODESTO, Oct. 29—O. E. Lambert, Wood Colony rancher and alfalfa seed thresher, reports that the crop of alfalfa seed in Stanislaus county is only 20 per cent of the normal yield. Heretofore, Lambert, who threshes practically all the seed in this and adjoining counties, has run about forty tons though his engine yearly, while this season the yield will not exceed eight tons. This percentage will apply also to nearby counties where the rains in September and October made the alfalfa rot with moisture. On the other hand, Lambert finds that late beans were benefited some 25 per cent by the rains, which may compensate for the other loss.

HANFORD APPOINTS SANITARY OFFICER

HANFORD, Oct. 29—The forces combatting the Spanish influenza here were further increased today by the appointment of Charles Boyd to the office of sanitary inspector, an office hitherto non-existing in Hanford. The creation of the office was at the instance of F. E. Kilpatrick, president of the city board of health, who complained to the board of health that neither the members of the board of health, nor health officer had the time to assume police power over the enforcement of rules and health measures during the present epidemic. The appointment was for a period of sixty days, but may be extended to become permanent, if the step proves satisfactory. In the past the sanitary inspection went no further than the employment of a sewer superintendent and health officer, neither one of whom has been vested with police authority as is the case with the new appointee. Boyd was formerly deputy marshal. Today he began his duties by serving notices on each home where the infienza exists that all persons in the home must wear safety masks recommended by the state and federal health authorities. Failure to do so, the notice states, will be followed by quarantine.

Spanish influenza, in the 24 hours ending at noon today showed a considerable increase in this community, approximately thirty new cases being reported, as against twenty in the twenty-four hours of the day before. There are now practically 200 cases in the county outside of those in Lemoore and Corcoran, which are under the control of local authorities. There were no deaths reported today and no new cases of pneumonia. The pneumonia cases now number six, in the county. The total deaths to date will not exceed five, some of these being in dispute as to their diagnosis.

HARDWICK HAS INFLUENZA CASE

HARDWICK, Oct. 29.—The first authentic case of Spanish influenza in Hardwick was reported here yesterday. William H. Beckman is the sufferer, and is confined to his home here. Dr. Rossun of Hanford is the attending physician. There have been a number of influenza colds reported from the district, but in no case were they more serious than an ordinary bad cold.

The two little children of H. Reed, who lives near Hardwick, are convalescing from the smallpox and will soon be out again.

J. B. Chamberlain, superintendent of the Floribel Land and Cattle Company, has enlisted in the tank service in the army and leaves at once to take up his new duties. His family will reside in East Oakland during his absence.

Will G Allen of the United States navy, stationed at San Pedro, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen, who live near Hardwick.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The Senate today confirmed the nominations of Major Generals Hunter Liggett and Robert L. Bullard to be temporary lieutenant generals. They command the first and second American armies in France.

CITY OF TULARE IS SUED FOR DAMAGES

VISALIA, Oct. 29.—Alleging that F. P. Eldridge, city clerk of Tulare, and other city officials refused to allow him to see the legal proceedings incident to the letting of a contract for certain street paving in the city of Tulare when he wished to study the plans and specifications for his clients, the Grant Rock and Gravel Company of Fresno, Lewis H. Smith, a Fresno attorney, has filed suit against the city of Tulare and Mr. Eldridge, demanding permission to study the entire proceedings and asking $250 general and $1500 exemplary damages by reason of the alleged initial refusal.

Mr. Smith claims he sought information for his clients concerning plans and specifications that his firm might bid on rock and material, but was refused permission to see the orders.

In Tulare, the charge is made that Mr. Smith refused to inform the city clerk whom he represented, wherefore the refusal to let him see the orders.

MAY PAY RESPECTS TO DEAD SOLDIER

HANFORD, Oct. 29.—The remains of Joe M. Reis, Lemoore draft soldier, who died several days ago at Camp Lewis, were brought here this morning and laid at rest in the mausoleum at the Catholic cemetery. Mass was said at the Catholic church in Lemoore. A cortege nearly two miles in length accompanied the remains here from Lemoore. Appropriate music was furnished by the Hanford band.

INFLUENZA CAUSES MANY FATALITIES

LOS BANOS, Oct. 29.—This city is in much turmoil over the prevalent epidemic. Some few living in the city limits wear masks, but the majority coming in from the country do not. There are a number of serious cases at the present time and many fatalities have resulted in this section, but only one death so far has resulted in the city. All the members of the police force are sick in bed, including Constable W. M. Roberts, Marshal George Parlin and Nightwatchman Frank Real. Guido and Joe Goni and the latter's family at the Lassari hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trigilla of the Oberon hotel all are sufferers from the disease, also a number of clerks from Miller & Lux' department store. Manager George Hoper says the store may close owing to scarcity of help. The physicians are all overworked. The Woman's Council of Defense held an open air meeting this afternoon to see what could be done toward stamping out the disease. Many other cases are reported about town and in the country. There are eight patients in one house in a Portuguese home five miles out. Last night physician from Newman was called to help a local physician administer serum, in hope of saving the life of one patient. High school has not been stopped yet, but all other indoor gatherings have.

The remains of Salvatore Palermo were sent here from Camp Kearny for burial in the Los Banos cemetery. Mr. Palermo died October 23 of Spanish influenza. He was 23 years old and a native of Italy. A nephew, Dominic Palermo, resides here. Three brothers of the Romeiro family, residing at Volta, have succumbed to the dreadful malady. Louis Romeiro died Sunday and Frank Romeiro died this morning. He was 25 years of age and both were natives of Portugal. Two other brothers are said to be very ill at their home in Volta.

Joe Amaral of Gustine was a victim of Spanish influenza Sunday in that town. For some time he had conducted a hotel there. He was aged nearly 37 years and is survived by a brother in Volta and a wife and family in Gustine. Funeral services will be held October 30.

Volunteer nurses would be very acceptable here. They are scarce. Sick folks are obliged to depend upon their own household for their care. If there are no members the patients wait upon themselves. Mrs. H. C. Reutter was called to Oro Loma recently to attend her son, Vernon Freeman and wife, suffering from influenza, and found another family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dryden, there ill. Three babies were in the house, and with the exception of two babies, all were sick in bed with no help whatever, and a physician seventeen miles away. The patients were recovering when last heard from.

FORMER VISALIAN PASSES.

VISALIA, Oct. 29—Funeral services were conducted in Visalia this afternoon from the residence of Henry Keener, over the remains of the late Fred Keener, former Visalian, who died in San Francisco Sunday a victim of influenza. The remains were received here early this morning from the north and the services drew many friends of the late San Francisco jeweler and native son of Visalia.

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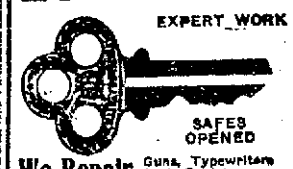
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RETAIL MARKETS

Fruits: Bananas, 11c lb.; fresh coconuts, 20c; lemons, 45c dozen; alligator pears, 15c and 25c each; grapes, black, 5c lb.; Bellefleur apples, 4 lbs., 25c.

Vegetables: Bell peppers, 2 lbs., 15c; cranberries, 20c lb.; Kentucky Wonder beans, 10c lb.; beets, 5c bunch; cauliflower, 15c head; cabbage, 4c lb.; artichokes, 10c, 3 for 25c; carrots, 5c bunch; hot-house cucumbers, 10c each; eggplant, 5c; garlic, 10c lb.; lettuce, cous, 5@10c bunch; onions 2½c lb.; green beans, 7½c lb.; potatoes, 4 lbs., 25c; tomatoes, 2 lbs., 15c; radishes, 5c bunch; turnips, 5c bunch; parsley, 5c bunch; sweet potatoes, 10c lb.

Milkstuffs: Flour, $9.05 sack; Mills extra, $4 sack; rolled barley, $3.25 sack; whole barley, $2.60 cwt.; mill run feed, $1.75 sack; Egyptian corn flour, 10 lbs., 50c; corn flour, 10 lbs. white, 50c; yellow, meal, 75c; 10 lbs. barley flour, 50c; 10 lbs. graham flour, 75c; 10 lbs. rye flour, 90c; 10 lbs. entire wheat flour, 75c.

Sugar: 10½c lb.

Butter, Eggs, Honey: Eggs, 65c dozen; colony butter, 48c lb.; creamery butter, 70c lb., $1.40 roll.

Fresh meats: Roast, 15@25c lb.; mutton, 15@25c lb.; lamb, 15@25c lb.; veal, 15@30c lb.; pork, 20@40c lb.; round steak, 30c lb.; chuck steak, 25c lb.; sirloin steak, 35c lb.; porterhouse steak, 40c lb. Lard, in quantity, 35c lb.

Dressed stock: Steers, 17c lb.; cows, 15c lb.; calves, 11@14c lb.; hogs, alive, 14@16c lb.; dressed, 18c lb.; ewes 12c lb.; wethers, 12c lb.; lambs, spring, 20@25c; fall, 22@24c.

Poultry: Turkeys, dressed, 30c lb.; alive, 25c lb.; butter, 45c lb.; creamery butter, 70c lb., $1.40 roll. lb.; geese, 20c lb.; ducks, 20c lb.

Oil: Gasoline, cask, 25c gallon; delivered, 31c gallon. Hay: Baled alfalfa, $24 ton; loose alfalfa, $20 ton; baled mown hay, $20; barley hay, $18.

Wheat, $2.25. Oats, $2.

Dried beans: Small white, 17½c lb.; large white, 17½c lb.; limas, 17½c lb.; pink, 11c lb.

DRIED FRUIT

NEW YORK.—Evaporated apples, nominal.

Prunes, scarce.
Apricots, firm.
Peaches, nominal.
Raisins, firm.

COAST PRODUCE.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Butter, 58@61½c; eggs, fresh pullets, 72c.

Receipts—Flour, 3029, quarters; barley, 5524 centals; beans, 2907 sacks; potatoes, 4580 sacks; onions, 420 sacks; hay, 60 tons; hides, 574; wine, 49,220 gallons.

Grain and hay quotations unavailable temporarily.

Lemons, $7@8.50 box; grapefruit, $5 box; oranges, fancy, $12.50@13 box; bananas, 7@8c; pineapples, $5 dozen; Muscat grapes, $1.50@2; string beans, 8@9c; lima, 7@9c; brussel sprouts, 6@7c; artichokes, $5 box; cantaloupes, not quoted.

LIVE STOCK.

SAN FRANCISCO.—There were no receipts of live stock on the local market today. The Western Meat company has announced advances in prices for live beef cattle and lambs and a decline of half a cent per pound on light hogs and 1 cent per pound on the heaviest hogs. The influenza situation has been especially bad among meat cutters, has not improved yet to such an extent that business can be carried on at anywhere near a normal rate, and the Western Meat company is not yet in the market for hogs. Officials say, however, that they hope to be buying again next week.

Cattle—Grass fed steers, gross weight: No. 1 steers, weighing 1000 to 1200 lbs. alive, 12½@12½c; 1200 to 1400 lbs., 12@12½c; second quality, 10½@11c; thin steers, 8@9c.

Cows and heifers—No. 1, 8@8½c; second quality, 7@7½c; common to thin, 5@6c.

Bulls and stags—Good, 6@7c; fair, 5@6c; thin, 4@5c.

Calves—Light weight, per lb., 11c; medium, 10c; heavy, 8@9c.

Sheep—Per lb. gross weight: Wethers, 11½@12c; ewes, 9@9½c; lambs, yearlings, 12@12½c; milk, 11@11½c.

Hogs—Hard grain fed, weighing 100 to 140 lbs., 16c; 140 to 250 lbs., 16½c; 250 to 325 lbs., 15½c.

CHICAGO.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets.) Hogs—Receipts, 31,000; market fully 25c higher than yesterday's average. Butchers, $18.25@18.85; light, $18@18.75; packing, $17.35@18.15; rough, $16.25@17.25; pigs, good to choice, $14.75@15.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; steers and butcher cattle, steady to strong; canners, 10@15c higher; calves, steady. Beef cattle, good, choice and prime, $15.75@19.75; common to medium, $9.75@15.75; butcher stock, cows and heifers, $5.75@14; canners and cutters, $5.75@6.75; stockers and feeders, good, choice and fancy, $10.25@12.75; inferior, common and medium, $7.50@10.25; veal calves, good and choice, $16@16.50; western range beef steers, $14.25@17.60; cows and heifers, $3.50@12.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 35,000; market steady to slightly lower. Top lambs, natives, $16.60.

GRAIN.

CHICAGO.—Turkish and Austrian proposals to the Entente Powers gave noticeable advantage today to bears in the corn market. Largely as a result the closing prices, although unsettled, were 1 to 1¼c net lower with November $1.21¼ and December $1.18¼ to 1.18⅝. Oats lost ⅝ to ¾c. The outcome in provisions ranged from 31c decline 60c advance.

Oats eased down down corn, although declines were checked somewhat by unfavorable crop reports from Canada. Domestic and seaboard demand was slow. Provisions were neglected and for the most part lower. Scattered selling of January deliveries was ascribed to packers.

Close:

Corn — November, $1.21¼; December, $1.16½.

Oats—November, 69c; December, 68¼c.

Pork — November, $35.75; January, $39.62.

Lard — November, $26.20; January, $26.25.

Ribs—November, $22.20; January, $22.47.

MONEY.

NEW YORK.—Mercantile paper, unchanged.

Sterling day bills unchanged; demand, $4.75 7-16; cables, $4.76 7-16.

Mexican dollars, unchanged.

Time loans, strong; unchanged.

Call money, strong, unchanged.

Liberty Bond closing:

$3 bonds, first convertible 4s, $97.40; second, $98.92; first convertible 4¼s, $97.14; second, $97.78; first convertible 4¼s, $97.14; second, convertible 4¼s, $97.36; third, 4¼s, $97.36.

OIL

SAN FRANCISCO.—The San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange today reported the following sales of local oil stocks together with bid and asked prices:

Sales.	Stock.	Bid.	Asked.
25	Amalgamated Oil Co.	.60½	
100	Associated Oil Co.	.67	.67½
...	Cal. Pet. Co., Pfd.	.85½	
...	Gen. Pet. Corpn., Pfd.	.94¾	.95¼
100	Gen. Pet. Corpn., Com.	1.10	
...	P. A. P. Tr. Co. pfd.	1.15	
...	Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	1.20	
...	Union Oil Co. of Cal.		1.10
...	West Coast Oil Co.	.62	

WALL STREET FINANCE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The trend of today's stock market was downward in the main on a pronounced contraction of dealings, both as to volume of trading and number of issues traded in.

Various reasons were assigned for the change from the activity of the previous session, chief of which were the further calling of bank loans and uncertainly regarding the dividend of United States Steel, which proved well founded.

Steel was under the closest scrutiny for some hint of the action of the directors, its early heaviness contributing largely to the backward tendency of the general list. The stock closed at 108, a loss of half a point, after recording an extreme reversal of 1½ points.

Announcement of the cut in the steel "extra" dividend from 3 to 2 per cent was not made known until the close of market, when the quarterly report, showing a earnings of some eight millions under the previous quarter, was also issued.

Foremost among the heavy stocks was Mexican Petroleum, which justified its reputation as the most volatile of issues by another break of eighteen points, none of which was recovered. It is understood that officials of the Stock Exchange contemplate action to check undue activity in that stock.

Other oils, tobaccos, equipments and specialties were included among the reactionary issues, at declines of two to seven points, but rails, while irregular, developed no marked heaviness, being sustained by further accumulation of Southern Pacific and coalers. Shippings and metals were relatively firm, with moderate reactions at the end. Sales amounted to 550,000 shares.

Bonds were irregular, Liberty issues showing general firmness on increased activity. Total sales, par value, aggregated $7,675,444. United States bonds unchanged on call.

PLAN TO USE CHEAPER COTTON

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—In line with the government's announced policy to force a greater use of the lower grades of cotton, thereby stabilizing the price, manufacturers of cotton fabrics for the army and navy will hereafter discontinue consumption of more higher grades than necessary, using instead grades below middling.

FEDERAL MARKET NEWS BULLETIN, FRESNO STATION

Carlot shipments Monday, October 28: New York, 2; California, northern district, 85; California, northern district, boat, 1; California, southern district, 94; California, southern district, 3. Total, 185.

Not previously reported shipped Sunday: Pennsylvania, 1.

Destinations Monday's carlot shipments, California.

Northern district: Chicago, 23; New York, 16; Philadelphia, 11; Boston, 6; Baltimore, 4; Cleveland, 3; Pittsburg, 3; Omaha, 2; Buffalo, 2; Ole Elum, 1; Wilkinburg, 1; Bayonne, 1; Dallas, 1; Passaic, 1; Denver, 1; Wellsburg, 1; San Francisco, 1. Wine stock: San Jose, 4; Winchester, 3; Weston, 3; Richmond, 2; Gilroy, 1; Brooklyn, 1; Rochester, 1; San Francisco, 1; Fruitvale, 1; Sierra Vista, 1. Total, 96.

Central district: Chicago, 40; New York, 18; Philadelphia, 6; Omaha, 5; Pittsburg, 3; Newark, 1; Ogden, 2; Elizabeth, 2; Seattle, 2; Kansas City, 2; Los Angeles, 2; St. Joseph, 1; San Antonio, 1; Scranton, 1; Portland, 1; Washington, 1; San Francisco, 1; Toronto, 1; Boston, 1; Buffalo, 1; Duluth, 1. Wine stock: Pittsburg, 1. Total, 94.

Southern district: Chicago, 2; Lead, 1. Total, 3. Total for state, 193. Same date last year, 158.

Carlot shipments to date this year, central district, 8,713; state, 15,747 cars.

Carlot shipments to October 26 last year, central district, 7,821; state, 10,359 cars.

Diversions filed since last report (shipped on dates indicated):

October 11: St. Louis to Kansas City, 1; Chicago, 1 each to Boston, Philadelphia.

October 12: New York, 1 each to Waterburg, Philadelphia.

October 13: New York to Jersey City, 1.

October 14: Cincinnati to Philadelphia, 1.

October 15: Pittsburg to Grove City, 1; Buckner to Morgantown, Pa., 1; Trinidad to South Springs, Colo., 1; Kansas City to Boston 1; Chicago, 2 to Cleveland, 1 each to Boston, Madison, Buffalo.

October 16: New York to Elmira, 1; Peoria to Buffalo, 1; Iron Mountain to Buffalo, 1; Denver to St. Louis, 1; Chicago, 2 to Clinton, 1 each to Jersey City, Homer City, Taylor Springs, Ill.; Akron, Philadelphia, Boston, Buffalo.

October 17: Chicago, 4 to Philadelphia, 2 each to Buffalo, New York, Albany, Boston, 1 each to Waterbury, Rochester, Montreal, Baltimore, Brooklyn, Detroit, Pittsburg, 1 each to Philadelphia, Jersey City; Kansas City, to Bridgeton.

October 18: Chicago, 7 to Boston, 2 each to Buffalo, Elmira, Milwaukee, 9 to Philadelphia; 1 each to Buffalo, New York, Lakewood, N. J.; Rochester, Gary, Youngstown, Toledo; Pittsburg, 2 to Detroit; 1 to Canton; Cincinnati to Baltimore, 1.

October 19: Chicago, 8 to Philadelphia, 2 to Cleveland, 1 each to Roaring Creek, W. Va., Yorkville, Ohio, Elmira, St. Joseph, Mo., Buffalo, Boston, Pittsburg, Detroit; Kansas City, 1 each to Philadelphia, Springfield, Mass., Memphis; Waltcourg to Youngstown, 1; Milton to Boston, 1; Wichita to Atlanta, 1.

October 20: Pittsburg to Jersey City, 3; Omaha to Buffalo, 1; Wichita to New York, 1; Chicago, 1 each to Albany, Elkworth, Pa.

October 21: Denver to Omaha, 1; New York to Kansas City, 1; Argentine to Buffalo, 1; Chicago, 2 each to Cleveland, Rochester, 1 each to Youngstown, Pittsburg, Arma, Kan.

October 22: Chicago, 1 each to Rochester; Pittsburg, 1; Kansas City, 1 each to Buffalo, Bridgeport, Philadelphia.

October 23: Chicago, 1 each to Wheatland, Pa., Baltimore, 2 to Pittsburg, St. Louis, 1 each to Trinidad, New York; Kansas City, 1 each to Philadelphia, Minneapolis.

October 24: Chicago, 2 to Pittsburg, 2 to Boston, 1 each to Philadelphia, Washington, Kansas City, 2 to Philadelphia, 1 each to Boston, Columbus, Baltimore, Minneapolis; New York to Omaha, 1; Denver to Milwaukee, 1; Reno to Atlanta, 1.

October 25: Chicago, 2 to New York, 1 to Buffalo; Newark to New Jersey, 1; Philadelphia to Pittsburg, 1; Baltimore, 1 each to Milwaukee, Washington; Omaha, 2 to Boston, 1 to Milwaukee.

October 26: Chicago, 2 to Washington, 1 to Newark; New York to Jersey City, 1; Omaha, 1 each to Baltimore, Pittsburg.

October 27: Scranton to Boston, 1; Chicago, 1 each to Newark, Washington, Baltimore.

Shipping point information.

FRESNO, Oct. 28.—Maximum temperature, 76 degrees; minimum temperature, 51 degrees; clear. Sales made on previous contracts now being filled. Other shipments mostly rolled, unsold. Too few sales to establish market.

Reports by direct leased wire from important markets. This morning's sales, unless otherwise stated.

CHICAGO.—Cloudy, 45 degrees. Auction Monday on 23 cars: wide range quality and condition considerable, wasty; Tokays, 2,270 crates $1.05@2.05, average $1.48; 3,060 crates 95c@$2.25, average $1.24; 1,080 lugs all 95c; Black Cornichons: 4,120 crates $1.30@2.15, average $1.68; 1,840 crates $1.30@2.35, average $1.52; Emperors 1,240 crates $1.05@3, average $1.59; 2,080 crates 90c@$2.80, average $1.30; 850 lugs, quality and condition generally good, $2.15@3.25, average $2.94; Malagas, 6,000 crates $1.10@2.20, average $1.52; 1,270 crates $1.25@2.10, average $1.37; 700 lugs $1.25@1.35, average $1.29; 350 crates all 25c.

CINCINNATI.—Auction Monday: demand moderate, wide range condition: 347 crates various varieties $1@2.50, average $1.79; 460 lugs Emperors $1.70@2.10, average $2.02.

ST. LOUIS.—Partly cloudy, 53 degrees. Five California arrived: auction Monday of 8 cars; quality and condition generally good; crates: Tokays $1.20@1.75; Emperors $1.30@2.20; Malagas $1.25@1.70; Black Cornichons $1.70@2.20.

DENVER.—Partly cloudy, 45 degrees. Six California arrived, 16 unbroken on track, 6 diverted; No early sales; sales Monday, direct to retailers; demand and movement moderate; quality and condition generally good; crates: Tokays, best $2.60@2.75, poorer $2.25; Black Cornichons $2.50@2.75.

KANSAS CITY.—Clear, 47 degrees. Seventeen California arrived, 21 unbroken cars on track, 6 diverted cars; demand and movement good, little change in prices; sales to jobbers; crates: Tokays, quality and condition fair, $2.25; Emperors, quality and condition generally good, $2.75@3.

DES MOINES.—Cloudy, 47 degrees. No carlot arrived, 4 unbroken, 2 broken cars on track; demand and movement good; little change in prices; sales direct to retailers; quality and condition good; crates: Black Cornichons $2.75@3; Tokays $2.50@2.75; lugs Tokays mostly $2.50; lugs Emperors $3.50@4, mostly $4; drums $6.50@7, mostly $7.

OMAHA.—Clear, 39 degrees. Ten California arrived, total 14 cars on track; sales direct to retailers; demand and movement moderate, little change in prices; crates: Black Cornichons mostly $2.25; Tokays $1.75@2.10; drums Emperors $5.50@6.50.

OKLAHOMA CITY.—Clear, 45 degrees. Two California arrived, 1 unbroken car on track; sales direct to retailers; demand and movement good, little change in prices; quality and condition generally good; crates Emperors $2@3.25; lugs Emperors $4; Tokays best $3, poorer low as $1.

PORTLAND.—Clear, 54 degrees. Four California arrived; demand good, little change in prices; sales direct to retailers: Emperors 1½@1¾c lb.; Malagas, best 1½c lb., poorer low as ¾c lb.; Verdelho 1½c lb.; crates Tokays; Black Cornichons and Emperors $2.25@2.50.

BALTIMORE.—Partly cloudy, 66 degrees. Six California arrived; demand and movement good; quality good, condition fair, some leaky; auction Monday: 2,427 crates Tokays $1.25@2.70, average $1.78; 1,056 crates Black Cornichons $1.80@2.75, average $2.42; 1,072 crates Malagas $1.65@1.80, average $1.68; 350 crates Red Emperors $1.80@2.70, average $2.36.

NEW YORK.—Foggy, 61 degrees. Fifty-one California arrived, auction Monday of 3,500 packages; double crates Tokays $2.90@3.45, average $3.04; crates Malagas $1.45@2.40, average $1.79; Black Cornichons, $1.70@3, average $2.20; Emperors $1.10@4.15, ordinary $2.30@2.60, poorer $1.50@2, average $2.38; Black Farrars $1.80@2.10, average $1.96; Verdelhos $1.60@1.80, average $1.70; Missions $1.65@2.05, average $1.84; Tokaies-type $1.65@3; lugs, Mission $1.90@2.25, average $1.95; Tokays $1.50@1.80, average $1.65; Malagas $1.50@2.00, average $2.04; Emperors $1.70@2.50, average $2.05; Muscats $1.25@1.60, average $1.41; Black Prince $1.65@2.15, average $1.76; Grenache $2.05@2.25, average $2.25; Alicante Bouschet $1.25@2.20, average $1.75; wine grapes $1.65; various varieties $1.55@2.40, average $1.82; Young Emperors $2.50@5.30, average $4.05.

NEW ORLEANS.—Cloudy, 72 degrees. One California arrived; demand and movement good, prices slightly higher; quality and condition generally good; sales direct to retailers; lugs Black Cornichons and Emperors $3; auction Monday: 300 lugs Black Cornichons, some decayed, $1.05@1.60, mostly $1.60; 320 lugs Tokays, mostly decayed, 50c@1.25, mostly 75c.

CLEVELAND.—Clear, 48 degrees. Five California, 2 New York arrived; auction Monday: demand good; some wasty; 2,580 crates Emperors $1.75@3.10, mostly $2.30; 3,100 crates Tokays $1.30@2, mostly $1.50; 2,500 crates Malagas $1.35@1.80, mostly $1.45.

BOSTON.—Arrived since Friday's report, California 75; auction Monday on 31 cars; demand good for good stock; mostly very poor condition; crates: Tokays $1.50@2.25, [illegible] $1.90; Emperors $1.50@4.75, average $2.62; Black Cornichons, $1.65@2.85, average $2.36; Malagas $1.50@2.50, average $1.87; Tokays 95c@$3.60, average $1.45 per lug; lugs: Muscats $1.45@2.20, average $1.47; Black Cornichons $2.20@3.85, average $3.42; Grenache $1.80@1.85; Black Morocco $1.80; Malagas, $1.75.

DETROIT.—Cloudy, 48 degrees. Four California arrived; auction Monday; demand good: Malagas: 2,614 crates, quality and condition poor, $1.10@1.55; 1,495 crates $1.35; Tokays: 3,303 crates, quality and condition poor: $1@1.50; 1,042 crates $1.50@2.20; Emperors: 947 crates, quality and condition poor, $1.10@1.20; 223 crates $1.20; Missions: 498 crates, quality and condition very poor, $1.20; Black Cornichons: 258 crates, quality and condition fair, $1.60@1.80; 215 crates $1.65.

BIRMINGHAM.—Raining, 60 degrees. Six California arrived; supplies heavy; demand and movement moderate; few early sales; sales to jobbers; crates Emperors, quality and condition generally good, $2.80@2.90.

COLUMBUS.—Clear, 46 degrees. One California arrived; total 3 cars on track; demand and movement moderate; sales to jobbers; white range quality and condition, many decayed; lugs Emperors $1.50@2.60; crates Tokays $1.50@2.

FORT WORTH.—Cloudy, 56 degrees. No carlot arrived; demand and movement good, no change in prices; sales direct to retailers; lugs Tokays, few quality, $2.75@3, mostly $2.75; Malagas and Black Cornichons, repacked, 90c lb.

BUTTE.—Cool, clear. Three California arrived; sales direct to retailers; quality and condition good; crates: Black Cornichons $2.75@3; Emperors $3@3.25; Tokays, quality and condition fair, mostly $2.50; lugs Malagas 14c lb.

PITTSBURGH.—Foggy, 54 degrees. Nineteen California arrived; demand and movement slow; opening prices today; sales to jobbers; wide range quality and condition, some decayed; crates Black Cornichons mostly $2.50; carlot sale 1 car crates Malagas, quality and condition poor, $1.60; auction today: wide range quality and condition; 2,708 crates Tokays $1.25@1.60, mostly $1.25@1.50; 2,650 crates Malagas $1.40@1.80, mostly $1.40@1.55; 172 crates Emperors $1.40@1.50.

BOSTON.—Auction today on 11 cars: demand good, prices higher; condition improving; crates: Tokays $1.50@3, average $2.13; Malagas $1.65@2.50, average $2.07; Emperors $2@5.20, average $2.80; Black Cornichons, $2.20@3.05, average $2.46; lugs: Muscats $1.20; Missions $2.15.

INDIANAPOLIS.—Clear, 47 degrees. No carlot arrived, total 5 cars on track; demand and movement slow, little change in prices; few early sales; sales to jobbers; quality and condition generally good; crates Tokays $2.25; crates Emperors $3.

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FEDERAL WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

Weekly market review of fruits and vegetables.—Prices to jobbers and shipments for the United States for the period October 22-28, inclusive.)

Onion yields in Portage, Stark and Summit counties, Ohio, officially estimated 400 to 600 bushels per acre. Shipments not heavy because of low prices.

Bean Markets Weak.

Colorado Pintos declined to $5 per cwt. to growers at Greeley, and ranged $8.25@9.15 for jobbing sales in Denver, ruling $7.75 per cwt. for carlots in southwestern markets. California Limas declined quite sharply at shipping points, ranging $10@10.50 per cwt. to growers. California Small whites ruled $10 per cwt. to growers.

Onion Markets Continue Steady.

Onion prices have been variable the past week and have held all they recovered the previous week, but the demand is still uncertain, although stronger the past few days. The big Massachusetts crop is in storage and moving out slowly at $1.40@1.50 per cwt. for yellow stock, while the Australian Brown crop of New York is going mostly at $1.35. Western values are unchanged with California having such a big crop to handle that orders do not come fast enough, and it is being rolled on consignment to all directions. In the Northwestern markets they sell to retailers generally at $1.75@2.25 per cwt. while at Texas points they bring $2.25@3. Oregon's crop is about harvested and storage is being extensively offered for shipment. The shipments of the week total 748 cars, a further decline from 854 cars last week and 914 the previous period.

Potato Values More Settled.

The more orderly movement of potatoes the past week and visible stocks cleaned up considerably in many of the markets, although track holdings increased in Kansas City. Prices have waivered some but generally reflected a recovery from the bottom of the previous week, in the consuming markets both east and west they are about the same as a week ago, but have strengthened slightly in practically all the producing territories from Maine to Idaho.

Green Mountains in Maine have advanced 25c per bbl. to the grower, but are still bringing $2.40@2.75 per cwt. in New York. At Waupaca, Wis., growers are receiving $1.40 per cwt. bulk, and are asking 10c advance for enough more Round Whites, sacked, are selling weaker in Chicago at $1.50@1.90 per cwt. in carlots. Prices to growers at Greeley, Colo., and Idaho Falls, Idaho, are correspondingly strong with but slight advance recorded for them in the terminal markets. Extra choice at Stockton, Cal., continues the same at $1.50@1.65 per cwt. The shipments of the week total 4,737 cars with 517 moving out of Colorado, 245 from Idaho, 171 from California and 47 from Washington. Harvesting of the Oregon crop has scarcely begun because there have been no killing frosts, but diggings started indicate as heavy a yield on the reduced acreage as was secured on the larger field of last year.

Shipments of potatoes to West Indies September, 252,081 bushels. Total potato exports since July 1 were over 1,000,000 bushels.

No. 1 Greenings quoted $5@5.50 per bbl. Toronto, Canada, October 24, and $6 per bbl. Montreal, Canada, October 21. Winter varieties f. o. b. Walkerton, Ontario, were quoted $4 per bbl.

Apple Values Firm.

Most changes were in the upward direction and the tone was generally firm. Baldwins and Greenings ruled firm at $4.25@4.50 f. o. b. Rochester, some fancy lots reaching $4.75. New York Baldwins A-2¾ ranged $4.75@6.25 in consuming markets and Greenings $4.75@5.75. Virginia Yorks A-2¾ ruled $3.25 f. o. b. Winchester and ranged $4.50@6 in consuming markets. Extra fancy Jonathans, northwestern Winesaps ranged generally $1.85@2 f. o. b. Extra fancy northwestern and Colorado boxed Jonathans ranged unchanged in consuming markets at $3@3.25, during the corresponding week last year best grades barreled stock ranged $4.50@5.50 in consuming markets, and northwestern extra fancy boxed Jonathans ranged $3@3.25 in consuming markets and $1.90@2.10 f. o. b. Spokane shipping sections. Apple shipments are beginning to decline, with 5,982 cars this week, compared with 6,196 last week and 4,862 for the corresponding week last year.

Loading of cabbage and manufacturing of kraut hampered by labor shortage.

Cabbage Markets Fairly Steady.

Values held at nearly last week's level although most chances were toward a slow decline. New York domestic stock still ranged $30@41 per ton in bulk f. o. b. Rochester, and Danish Seed declined $1, ranging $15@17. In consuming markets New York domestic stock ranged firm at $18@25, and Danish Seed $22@28. Wisconsin Danish Seed remained about steady at $19@20 per ton f. o. b. Waupaca and $16@17 in the Racine district, selling to jobbers in Chicago mostly at $28. Colorado stock ranged steady at 90@95c per cwt. f. o. b. Greely, and at $1.25@1.50 in Kansas City. During the corresponding week last year New York domestic stock ranged $20@32 f. o. b. Rochester, while New York and Wisconsin stock followed a general lower range of $25@45. Shipments increased to 1,651 cars compared with 914 last week, and 1,540 for the corresponding week last year. CHARLES J. BRAND.

DEMANDS GERMANY RETURN LAONAISES

PARIS Monday, Oct. 28, (Havas).—The French government has protested to Germany concerning the carrying away by force of civilian residents of Laon and has informed Germany that the repatriation of German civilians from France will be stopped unless the Laon civilians are returned immediately to the keeping of the French government.

The action of the Germans in carrying off the civilians of Laon, including Mayor Ermant, was in violation of the agreement concluded between France and Germany last April. The Germans also carried away 250 French civilians from Lenz.

ISLAND REGISTRATION.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Monday, Oct. 28.—On the basis of incomplete reports regarding the registration on Saturday of men 18 to 45 years, Adjutant General Wilson estimates that 115,000 persons registered in the islands.

California Oil

TALC, SOAPSTONE, COMES INTO USE MORE THAN FORMERLY DURING WAR

By FLETCHER HAMILTON.

The United States produces and uses more talc than any other country in the world. In 1917 the sales amounted to 198,513 tons valued at $1,889,672. This was a small gain over the 1916 State Mineralogist figures.

The producing states are California, Georgia, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Vermont and Virginia. New York and Vermont are the largest producers.

The production in California in 1917 was 5267 tons, valued at $45,279.

The imports for 1917 were less than one-tenth of the domestic production, but a large percentage of that which was imported was of very high grade.

More than half of the imports come from Canada.

The price in 1917 ranged from $3 to $8 per ton for the lowest grade material, the rough or crude talc, while the highest grade, which is used for insulators, gas tips, etc., brought from $50 to $200 per ton. The value of the crude is greatly increased by grinding, in which state it is worth from $5 to $20 per ton.

Application and Uses

In its natural state talc appears as the so-called French chalk and in crayons used by tailors. In ground form it is most commonly seen as toilet powders, lubricating mixtures, etc., although its most extensive use is as a filler in the manufacture of paper. Much is used for insulators, gas tips, etc., and in the manufacture of rubber and certain kinds of paints.

Soapstone is used in the manufacture of laboratory table tops, laundry tubs, tanks, sinks, fume hoods, switchboards and in general insulation.

Properties and Ores

Talc and soapstone are generally regarded as synonymous. However, talc is a mineral, while soapstone is a massive rock composed almost entirely of talc.

The mineral talc is a hydrous silicate of magnesium ($H_2Mg_3Si_4O_{12}$), remarkable for its softness, greasy luster and feel and its heat-resisting qualities. It is one of the softest minerals, being taken as No. 1 in the scale of hardness. In color it may be white, gray, pale green or brown. Quite light (specific gravity 2.7-2.9), insoluble in ordinary acids, difficultly fusible and has low electric conductivity. Occurs in compact, foliated masses in metamorphic areas and as talc-schists and gouge in mines. Generally a hydration product in the alteration of magnesian silicates and is often associated with serpentine and actinolite.

Distribution

Talc and soapstone occur widely distributed throughout California, but only a few deposits have proven of commercial value. High grade deposits have been developed in Inyo and San Bernardino counties, and considerable production has been made in Amador and El Dorado counties. Occurrences have been noted in almost every county in the state.

Tests

Distinguished by its softness, greasy, pearly luster and greasy feel. Not acted upon by hydrochloric or sulphuric acid. Gives a little water upon intense ignition in the closed tube. Very difficultly fusible.

The massive soapstone variety is generally schistose and grayish green in color, and has a very greasy feel.

STANDARD DRILLS NUMEROUS WELLS

TAFT, Oct. 29.—Both in the northern and southern fields of this state the Standard Oil company is making rapid development plans for the future in the matter of oil production. In the Midway field interest centers around the drilling by the Standard Oil company of a test well on a school section in the Elk Hills district. Derricks have already been put up and power for drilling, including gas and oil piped from the Standard McNee lease just outside of Taft and five miles over the hills from the school section in the Elk Hills where the well will be drilled.

Litigation between the Southern Pacific and the government stopped all work in the Elk Hills district in 1910, this territory being known as Naval Reserve No. 2. At that time 22 companies had conducted operations in that field and six of these had already found oil.

The fact that operations in the Elk Hills had been in progress but a short time before they were stopped by the government prevented development on anything like an extended scale, and only served to occasion widespread discussion as to what might have been uncovered in the quest for oil in a locality so near the Reliridge and Lost Hills fields. The drilling of the Standard Test well in this field will therefore be watched with much interest by operators throughout the state and in the eastern fields as well.

The Standard's activity in the south at the present time is around Inglewood on the Clenga tract. A rig for No. 1 stands completed, and the rigging up work and preparations for drillings are going on as fast as possible in order that drilling may commence before the end of the week. This new field is to be exploited to reach out for new oil properties and will also be watched with considerable interest.

TEST WELL BEING WATCHED

TAFT, Oct. 29.—Operators here are watching with considerable interest progress now being made on the Amalgamated Oil company's test well on the Huntington tract in the south. Twenty thousand barrels of pure water has been pumped out of this well without the well showing a drop of oil. It seems that the Amalgamated is not going to take any chances on this well and will continue the testing of the well farther. The water volume has been reduced one-half.

SUES SBARBARO FOR DAMAGES

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Action for $250,000 damages for alleged defamation of character was stated by Marcellus Krigbaum, a real estate operator, against Andre Sbarbaro and two other directors of the California Wine Association in the superior court here today.

Krigbaum alleged that because of testimony he gave in the Federal courts against one Harry Flannery, convicted of selling liquor to soldiers and a stockholder in the association, the defendants conspired to injure his good name and character. Three others are named as co-defendants with Sbarbaro and his associates.

WOOL GREASE PRICE.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—A maximum price of 16 cents a pound for wool grease, effective until December 17, was announced today by the war industries board.

Dr. Howard, dentist, 601-603 Rank of Italy building.

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PLEASANT room, close in; use of bath and telephone. 1241 M street.

TWO pleasant unfurnished rooms, porch and garage; adults only; nice for couple with car; $5 per month. 2601 Clay street.

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FURNISHED two-room apartment, single bedroom. 1421 J street.

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FURNISHED front room; light, phone; three blocks from courthouse. 1515 Jay.

FOR RENT—Front room, connecting with bath; half block from Blackstone car; gentleman preferred. Telephone 4137-M. 1633 McKenzie Ave.

SUNNY lower 4-room neatly furnished flat, four blocks out. 2418 Stanislaus.

BEDROOM, also two rooms partly furnished for light housekeeping, and garage for two machines. Phone 2134-M.

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FOR RENT—Miscellaneous

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GUY STOCKTON—Phone 860
1301 Fye St., cor. Merced.

FOR RENT—Country Property

WANTED to rent, 40 to 80 acres of irrigated land on shares, by experienced farmer. References. Address F. B. Christensen, Rt. 3, Watsonville, Cal.

TO LET—160 acres, or N.E.¼ section 10, township 16 south, range 18 east, or 320 acres, W. ½ section 4, township 16 south, range 18 east, or both; virgin land. Fresno county, 25 miles S.W. of Fresno and ¾ mile north of Burrel. Will give first year's free rent to tenant plowing and seeding same. Address Mr. Wright, 403 S. Hill St., Los Angeles.

FOR RENT—400 acres double plowed, summer fallow for wheat, near Fresno. Box 8267, Republican.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Tranquillity Union High School District of Fresno County, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on Tuesday, the 26th day of November, 1918, in the Tranquillity Union High School District of Fresno County, California, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. of said day, during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open, at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said Tranquillity Union High School District to the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars for the purposes of raising money for purchasing high school lots; building a high school building thereon; insuring said high school building, supplying said high school building with furniture and necessary separating and improving the ground upon which said high school building is erected, will be voted upon.

The said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each; shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually from their date until their several respective maturities, and shall be designated as "First Series" and be numbered

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8-room bungalow in Alta Vista, brand new. Breakfast nook, screened porch and shower in bath room. See this today.
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1301 Eye St., Corner Merced.

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1301 Eye St., Corner Merced.

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1301 Eye St., Corner Merced.

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5-Room bungalow, two lots, shade, two blocks car; $1400; $200 cash, balance $15 per month including interest.
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5-Room modern bungalow; $2500; good terms.
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5-Room modern bungalow, Normal district; $3700; $400 cash.
6-Room bungalow and 6-room cottage, close to high school for $5,000. Snap.
Two nice bungalows on corner; $5000, $1000 down.
Beautiful home, north part; $5300; $2300 down.
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AT A sacrifice, absolutely modern six-room bungalow. Normal district. Payments easy.
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$2500—Pretty little 4-room bungalow on a 50 ft. lot in the north end; all modern conveniences; $300 cash and $25 per month.
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5-ROOM bungalow, one block from Olive Ave. car; $21. John Detling, 1033 J St. Phone 2762.

FOR SALE at a bargain, beautiful 4-room brick house, fine well, 60 ft. frontage by 120 depth. Will sell on small payment. Owner wants to leave for Washington. Apply at 2150 Fresno Ave. after 6 p. m. or working hours. 845 Eye St.

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Three cottages on 3 lots, 5 blocks from courthouse, new, rented for $41 per month. Owner will sacrifice for a few days only, $4000, $1200 cash, balance $27 per month including interest. Just think, they will pay for themselves. Too good to last long.
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TWO twenty-five foot lots; two shingled houses with cellars, four rooms each; one well, one shed, some fruit; plenty of shade; $900. 843 Lorena Ave., near old Danish Creamery.

FOR SALE—Residence, 1805 Van Ness avenue, corner Amidor street. Large 12-room house, finely decorated; all floors hardwood; 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, sleeping porch, large basement, with furnace heat; garage with two rooms above. One of best residence district in city. Telephone 1508-J for information.

HOUSE at 161 Clark St. containing seven rooms, two living rooms and dining room, three bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, three porches, furnace heated, fireplace; lot 60 by 120 feet; garage with two extra rooms. Price $3600. May be seen by appointment. Phone 2354-M.

A MODERN home, 5 rooms and sleeping porch; lots of shade and lawn, north of courthouse and close in; price $3000, $300 cash, balance terms. A. W. Nagby, 1053 J St.

FOR SALE by owner, two-story modern home; excellent repair; seven rooms and sleeping porch; back porch and garage. Consider lots or smaller house. Phone 2849-W or call 179 north Angus.

FOR SALE—Modern bungalow, six rooms besides sleeping porch, has lawn, shade, flowers; garage; 5 blocks court house; close to car line. A. L. Barnard. Phone 8378-W.

FOR SALE—By owner, a good bungalow; good lawn; fine grape arbor; fruit trees and roses. Small payment down. See Owner, 915 Hosmer St.

THREE new bungalows, just being completed, in Arlington Heights, ranging in price from $2600 to $3200; $350 cash payment and $25 to $30 per month.

Highly improved twenty acres of Thompsons, Muscats and figs; will sell cheap or exchange for city property.

Eighty acres fine alfalfa, three pumping plants; a bargain, easy terms. Price $15,000.
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FOR SALE
First class seven room aeroplane bungalow, furnished, on corner lot in splendid location; garage, lawn, shade; house has all modern built in features. A sacrifice at $3250; requires $1000 cash, balance $20 per month.
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A SPLENDID INVESTMENT AS WELL AS A HOME.
Six eight-room houses on 50-foot frontage. There is a furnace heater, large garage and some furniture, and only nine blocks from court house. Owner lives in East, wants us to sell. Price, $4200. Terms to be arranged. R. W. Springer with
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BARGAINS—Owner leaving town, will take good bonds or mortgages for two lots on College Ave. and two lots on White Ave.
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AN OPPORTUNITY TO BUY A BUNGALOW.
Five rooms and sleeping porch. Cellar, garage, screen porch and a fine yard; 1½ block from car line. $3250; $500 cash, $25 a month. R. W. Springer with
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MODERN house, close in, near high school; $3500, $400 cash, balance monthly.
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FOR SALE—6-room bungalow on four lots, close to Normal; beautiful lawn, rose garden and shrubbery; garage; easy terms. For particulars Phone 8812-J.

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WEST SIDE land in small and large tracts. Inquire of Isaac Myer, Firebaugh.

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REAL ESTATE—Country

RICH, LEVELED, PLOWED.
25¾ acres with water, near Stanislaus River at Ripon; 10 acres plowed, checked and bored; all rich loam, excellent for alfalfa, corn, beans, trees and vines. Only $3750; $1750 cash. Balance 10 years. One crop should pay for the land. Write or call for description.
PAUL BOSSIER,
Park of Ivy, 1 Lake Street, Stockton, Cal.

137 ACRES offered for sale at a very low price, on easiest kind of terms; well improved and equipped and a good producer; 50 acres of absolutely first-class alfalfa, no grass, cut over 500 tons this year, 20 acres young Thompson and Sultana vines; four-room house, two barns, other buildings, large pumping plant supplying sufficient water; team equipment, etc. About 60 tons of hay in the stack goes. This property is located near Vineland, 4½ miles from Biola, 8 miles from Madera, and is right in every particular. Price is $20,000; $7000 cash, $1000 a year and interest. It is the best buy without doubt that we have offered this year.
YEARIN & OLSON,
106 Trust Co. Bldg. Phone 2339.

GOOD BUY IN TEN ACRES.
Located in Clovis district, close to school; six acres 10-year-old Malagas, exceptionally good; 3 acres alfalfa, balance family orchard and buildings; five-room house, barn and tools. Best buy on our list for $4500.
MARKLEY & STONE,
Phone 305. 1027 Fresno Street.

ATTENTION. FICS.
We have been instructed to offer for sale, for a short time only, the Forbes 40 acres, ½ mile east of Wolters County school. This is the mother California fig orchard of a great fig section, and only exceeding in quantity and quality of fig, but producing its own caprig and some $1000 worth for sale each year, the latter being of the most improved varieties, which also very seaborn. The improvements are as follows: 23 acres fig, 10 acres peaches, 4 acres Navel oranges, border of olives, small patch alfalfa and small variety of fruit for family use. Fine modern bungalow equipped with lights, water, telephone, etc., garage, stable and full equipment for operating, including good span mules, horse, cow and chickens. This place is located six miles from Fresno on good road, near good school, and is not only a fortune maker, but a home superb with $10,000 per year income. Price, $31,500. Will take part Liberty Bonds.
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Real Estate (True to Name.) Loans, Insurance.
1010 J Street. Phone 2649.

29 ACRES FIGS, $12,500.
17 acres California and White Adriatics, 6 to 20 years old; 3 acres apricots and oranges; only five miles from Fresno; house, barn, garage, sulphur house; good water right. If you want something good see this one. Terms right.
HARRISON & CUMMINGS,
Phone 216. 1913 Fresno St.

THIS IS A FIRST-CLASS BUY.
40 acres checked for alfalfa; good house, barn; all fenced and cross fenced, hog tight; one-fourth mile from town; near Fresno; plenty of water. Only $150 per acre. Can arrange terms. Might consider Fresno property in exchange.
HARRISON & CUMMINGS,
Phone 216. 1913 Fresno St.

FOR SALE—40 Acres roughly checked land with well and pumping plant; on gravity water ditch about five miles from Tulare. Price $6000 on terms. Address owner, Box 9420, Republican office.

FOR SALE—Fifty acres of cord land under irrigation; hog tight fenced. Will sell or trade for sheep. S. G. Owens, R. F. D., Box 143, Madera.

FOR SALE—Thirty acres, near Porterville, unimproved; $1500. A sacrifice. Box 9014, Republican.

40 ACRES; 14 acres alfalfa, 6 acres mission vines, 20 acres bare land ready for seed; all subirrigated; alfalfa ready to cut. Inquire Carl B. Anderson, R. A., Box 260, Kingsburg.

20 ACRES vineyard; soil and location first class; buildings, trees, boxes, team horses, tools; $9000; $4500 cash; ¾ mile east, ¾ mile north Scandinavian Winery. Will take good automobile on first payment. M. Fredericksen.

A FINE 10-acre home near Oleander; fine land, fine buildings; horse, 2 cows, 60 chickens, all kinds of tools; land all in raisins and alfalfa in bearing. Price $6500 and $2000 down, balance easy. $500 worth of fine furniture in house for sale extra if wanted.
CONNELLY & NICHOLS
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TEN ACRES SOLID MALAGAS
$3500 cash. Full bearing, six miles from our office; $500 cash, balance to suit you. This will pay for itself in two years. Don't overlook this; it is good for a home or a splendid investment. Don't hesitate. See this today.
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SAVE THE COMMISSION.
20-acre vineyard—Orchard half mile from Alexander store with modern house, team and tools. No reasonable offer refused. Call 8825 for price and terms.

30 ACRES near Cutler; malagas, muscats and Thompsons; good house and barn, team and tools, trays and boxes; 3 acres malagas sold this year $1500. Price of place $600 per acre; only $4000 cash. A snap.
BADEN & HARPER, Dinuba, Calif.

WANT to buy 40 acres or more of Bermuda. Box 9369, Republican.

40 ACRES, Barnyard Colony, $6300; 20 Muscats, 20 peaches; buildings, tools, team. See it. Must have $1000 cash, or good mortgage. R. S. Thompson Co., 1149 J street; phone 159.

40 ACRES Thompsons, staked, two years old. This is a dandy. Price $32,000; $3000 cash, balance to suit.

175 Acres river bottom land, best quality. Can be bought on your own terms.

4,000 Acres of the best land in the state, water guaranteed, in subdivisions of 20 acres and up at $125 per acre, 10 per cent down, 10 per cent per year, 6 per cent interest. Ask us about these.
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or C. W. HEEY, Reedley.

$3000—ONE acre of peach trees with 5-room house, city water, electricity and gas. 1542 Palm Ave. $500 cash, easy terms. Phone 822-J.

SIX-ROOM modern bungalow on Ventura Ave., nice home with large porches, lawn and fruit. See owner, 3120 Ventura Ave.

FOR SALE—Fine vineyard, 40 acres, very close in. This season's crop, $7000. Good terms to right party. Owner, Box 9284, Republican.

ALFALFA LAND—CROP PAYMENTS
We have the finest body of land in this district, close to Fresno. You never saw better alfalfa. You can buy it at $5 per acre cash down and balance on
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Give us one-half the crop until land is paid for. Just like rent, only in a few years the land is yours. Risky for us? Not at all! We know our land. See us at once. It won't last long.
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25 YEARS LOCATING HOME-SEEKERS
City dwellings 10 per cent cash, balance like rent. Unimproved land, $20 to $40 per acre. Terms on same only interest and improvement.
Several large and small, highly improved ranches, below the market and easy terms.
We will rent your ranch or rent a ranch to you. Fire insurance in good companies. C. E. Williams salesman on
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FOR LEASE OR SALE—A splendid piece of land, 540 acres, all fenced and equipped with feedlems, barn, tank house, pumping plant with 25 h. p. engine. Apply 147 Forsyth Bldg.

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Near the Foothills
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Small Cash Payment
Six Years Before the Second Payment
Low Rate of Interest
Figs, vineyards, plums, peaches, oranges, lemons and olives are in full bearing on every side.
Every acre the best of soil.
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A live town, schools, churches, bank, rural mail service; electricity all over the track.
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Write for literature. It will cost you nothing to hear about this property.
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ALFALFA ALFALFA
40 Acres of the very finest alfalfa land; 35 in good alfalfa now, balance checked up; all fenced and cross fenced with hog fence. A good set of buildings and a splendid pumping plant; 14 miles from Fresno on a main county road. This is a moneymaker. Price $10,500; $3000 cash, balance easy.
JOHN DARLING, 1035 J St.

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Own 40 Acres
Let the Crop Pay.
Water Furnished.
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FOR SALE
The following real estate, on easy terms and long times:
1 5-Room house in Richmond.
1 9-Room house in Berkeley.
3 22-Acre unimproved lots east Clovis.
3 Lots near Normal school.
1 220-Acre mountain stock, fruit and grain ranch.
1 200-Acre fruit, grain and stock ranch near Clovis.
For information call or write
T. R. McKELVY,
108 Fresno Ave., Fresno, or Hanford.

FOR SALE—One of the finest home ranches in the Selma country—three miles from two towns. Fine eight room house, electric lighted and modern throughout; 8 acres muscats, 2 acres Thompsons, 1 acre sultanas, 3 acres young Thompsons, 12 acres peaches, 7 acres alfalfa, good outbuildings. Water right and pumping plant; 4,000 trays; team and a complete outfit of farming implements. We recommend this to anyone who wants a fine and productive country home. Price $21,000; $5000 cash, crop payments for five years. Owner is retiring on account of ill health.

For Sale or Exchange—60-Acre ranch; 17 acres Thompsons, one to four years; 1 acre blue gums, ½ acre rinfandela, ½ acre peaches, 4 acres cowed to alfalfa; small house, good barn, good fencing all around and good cross fences; 20 acres fenced hog tight; windmill and tanks. Price $13,000. Will take good clear property up to $8,000.
SHANNON & TODD
1033 High St., Selma, Cal.

FOR RENT—In Fresno county, 10 sections of good grain farming land in tracts to suit. Inquire M. W. Muller, 313 Forsyth Bldg., Fresno.

3½ MILES FROM COURTHOUSE!
11 Acres in trees and vines, also 18 acres in trees and vines. Both places are fully equipped and have good buildings. Both priced right and very easy terms.
H. B. PATTERSON, 1935 Mariposa St.

WANTED—Man with some capital and experience to improve 80 acres to vines and trees on partnership basis. I will advance all money for labor and improvements. Address Box 9246, Republican.

REAL ESTATE—Country

FOR SALE—160 acres, in N. E. ¼ section 10, township 16, south, range 19, east, or 320 acres, W. ½ section 4, township 16, south, range 19, east, or both, in Fresno county, 25 miles S. W. of Fresno and 3½ miles N. of Burrel, at $40 per acre. Terms. Virgin soil and no improvements, but water near the surface; power line pumping wells. Are growing alfalfa on adjacent property. Address Mr. Wright, 402 S. Hill St., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 Acres full bearing Thompsons, 6-room house, barn, two horses, all implements, tools, horses, etc. Take city property to $5,000; $3,000 cash. Coming Temple Bar Building. Phone 999.

FOR SALE OR TRADE
283 ACRES fine farming and grazing land, with outlet to mountains to free range, 40 acres in cultivation. Located in the Sulphur Spring Valley, Arizona, near two fastest growing towns in the country. One farm or ranch proposition. Will sell or trade. F. W. Donnelley, Box 334 Route H, Fresno.

40 ACRES; 33 Muscats; 75 tons this year; 3½ Thompsons, 2 peaches; border fine, 6 room modern house, barn and other buildings, good team, plenty implements, trays and sweat boxes, ¼ mile from school; black sandy soil, no alkali or hard pan. A first class place and well located. Price $25,000.
A. W. BAGBY.
Phone 2743 1033 J St.

FOR SALE—480 acres only 1½ miles from Stockton—now being seeded to wheat and barley. Immediate possession and all the crop. Only $125 per acre. Worth $200. Easy terms. 160 acres at $80 per acre $20 acres at $50 per acre.
R. H. DARTER,
I. O. O. F. Bldg., Stockton, Calif.

40 ACRES, highly improved; everything goes with the place; $15,000; $3,000 cash, $1,000 year.
35 Acres, all vines; beautiful home; fully equipped; $18,500.
23-Acre vineyard, $9500.
23 Acres Thompsons.
20 Acres; 10 Thompsons, balance muscats and alfalfa.
20-Acre mixed place, partly improved, $4500.
All these properties are within two to five miles of Fresno, highly improved and cheaper than anything fifteen miles out.
JOHN DUDLEY, 1033 J St. Phone 1133.
Phone 1133.

WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—Second-hand electric door way fan, 57 inch. Must be in good condition. J. G. Meeder, 1038 Eye street.

FRESH cow, heavy milker, healthy. Address Box 9425, Republican.

WANTED—To rent improved vineyards, 40 to 160 acres. Cash rent. W. E. Bush & Co., 204 Mason Bldg. Phone 1280.

WANTED—20 to 40 acres, unimproved, close in. Suitable for Thompsons. W. E. Bush & Co., 204 Mason Bldg. Phone 1280.

WANTED—Alfalfa or Bermuda pasture. Phone 915.

WANTED—To buy cheap for cash, cabinet Edison or Victrola. 819 Felger or Tel. 2126-M after 6 p. m.

GOING to Los Angeles Sunday; roomy 5-passenger auto; can carry four persons both ways. Give phone number. Address Box 9418, Republican.

WANTED—Pony cart, harness and saddle; suitable for Shetland pony. Address Box 9, Box 319, Fresno.

STOVES and all kinds of furniture. Selling out to the public at 2232 Tulare St.

WANTED—Damaged raisins for hog feed. Will pay $10 ton at ranch or will buy if dumped on our trays. Box 8578, Republican.

USED bicycles, guns and revolvers, any condition, wanted. Traded and repaired. L. H. Wellheiser, 1026 Eye street.

WANTED—Work for grading outfit of about sixty head of horses and mules with equipment consisting of plows, scrapers, elevating grader, etc., or will rent to responsible parties. C. H. Lathlin, Manteca or Tracy.

WANTED—A small house to be moved out. 811 Griffith-McKenzie Bldg. or—Phone 2994-M.

GOOD bed, spring, mattress and dresser. Only good ones wanted. Phone 2293.

WANTED—Twenty acres in full bearing Muscats. Can make cash payment of $4000. H. G. Patterson, 1935 Mariposa St.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture, also office furniture. We pay highest prices. See us now. Home Furniture Co. Phone 4031. 2040 Fresno St.

WANTED WINE GRAPES in second crop Muscats and Malagas. Phone Marguerite Vineyard or 1075 Fresno.

WE PAY highest prices for second-hand furniture, also sacks, boxes and all kinds of junk. Phone 1891-M.

WANTED—Furniture, stoves, junk of all kinds, hides, pelts and wool. Phone 863. Lou Bros. Junk Co., 646 Eye St.

I WILL buy your bees or rent them on the shares, any amount, any kind. T. H. Howard, 1231 Eye St.

I FRESNO IRON AND METAL CO. pays highest prices for scrap metals, rubber, iron, sacks, second-hand pipe, hides and wool. Phone 2030. 625 Jay St.

HIDES, pelts, wool; highest prices paid; also scrap metals, pipes and fittings. Fresno Junk Co., 625 Jay St. Phone 2030.

WE HAVE buyers with the cash for reasonably priced bonafide homes. Call 1788 for interview.

WANTED—Live and dead stock for fertilizer. Highest prices paid. Will call anywhere. Phone 2748. McCartney & Johnson, 830 Atchison street.

WE BUY furniture, stoves, carpets, refrigerators or anything of value; best prices paid. Zarin's Furniture Store, 2233 Fresno. Phone 1657.

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Highest prices paid. Miller & Block, 624 Eye St. Phone 1115.

JOE'S PLACE—Highest prices paid for second-hand clothing. We buy and sell. 1842 Kern.

WANTED—Junk, hides, wool, pelt, tallow. Herman and Tatreau Junk Co., 660 Eye. Phone 2917.

DIAMONDS—DIAMONDS—DIAMONDS
Will pay $100 to $500 per karat. Shaddow's Diamond Shop, 1943 Mariposa St.

NEW and second-hand furniture bought and sold. T. & M. Furniture Store, 847-51 G street. Phone 2596.

FOR SALE—Live Stock

TEAM of bay mares, 6 and 7 years old, weight 2350. Snap at $275. D. V. Shields, Fowler, Cal., care of J. O. Hittle.

FINE young cow, horse and chickens cheap for $250 cash, or will take automobile in good condition in trade. Address Route 2, Box 320-X, Fresno.

FOR SALE—Good all-purpose team, weight 2400 pounds; in good order; well broke, single and double; also light harness, all for $150. Going to war. Must sell at once. Call 2029 Inyo street.

FOR SALE—We have for sale the best team of mares, 4 and 5 years old, in Fresno county, weight 2600 pounds; sound and well broke, single and double; price, $350. See the barn man, Passett Lumber Co. Stables, corner P and Inyo.

GOOD work team, weight 2600, with good harness; through work. 3237 Belmont.

HOLSTEIN cow and eight weeks old veal calf; $75 for the two; ¾ mile south of Scandinavian. J. W. Fuller, Rt. B, Box 77, Fresno.

JUST ARRIVED—Carload horses, mares and mules from the Nicolaysen ranch at Wasco, California, consisting of teams weighing from 2200 to 2700 lbs., ages 4 to 10 years old. This stock must be sold at once. All stock just off of ranch and anyone looking for a good ranch animal or team call and look stock over and get prices. Apply opposite Hosmers' packing house, corner I and Cherry Sts.

FOR SALE—A fresh milch cow, Al. Phone 3269-J.

4 HORSES, harness, mule, pony, all broke to work and gentle; top buggy, single and double harness; 12 in. plow; scraper; 3 gang steel 12 in. moldboard plow cheap. Wiles, corner Purley and Home, N of Reedley park.

FRESH family cows, 4 miles south, Elm Ave. C. C. Adams.

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WANTED—Stock of all kinds for butchering. L. F. Heger, 1919 G St., Fresno.

10 HEAD sheep, 4 cows and 8 little pigs; also one DeLaval separator No. 15, milk cans, cream cooler, supply tank and separator house. L. M. Tuttle, three miles N.W. Kerman.

FOR SALE—Thirty head first class dairy cows. Eight miles west on Helmont, ¾ mile north on Monroe. E. E. Hall. Tel. 8363-J-3.

FOR SALE—Registered Holstein-Friesian bulls. Frank M. Heim. Phone 140 or 8328-R-1.

GOATS for sale. Apply Fresno District Fair. Phone 3822.

WORK horses and mules for sale. Apply Waverly ranch corner McCall road and Jensen Ave., or Rector Burness, Fresno.

FOR SALE—Horses, all ages, work or driving. Fresno Transfer Co.

WANTED—Calves at highest market prices. Phone 8313-J-4.

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MORTGAGES BOUGHT—Private money to lend; no brokerage fee to pay. Apply to Box 9421, Republican.

LIBERTY BONDS or cash wanted for one or all of the following mortgages on vineyards: One of $5000, one of $3800 and one of $2500. Payable in two, three and five years. All bearing 7 per cent or better. Phone 2849 or P. O. Box 278.

$5 TO $50 WITHOUT SECURITY
Loaned to salaried people permanently employed and owners of furniture; cheapest rates; best and private terms. Fresno Brokerage Co., Room 16, Republican Bldg.

MONEY loaned without security; small amounts. Real estate contracts bought. F. P. Lamoreux, 1233 Eye.

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10-Year loans. Can be paid sooner. Low rate interest. No commission. Quick action. Kittrell-Redden Company, 801 Cory Bldg.

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MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate. 7 per cent. Flat rate. Quick action.
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FOR EXCHANGE

WANTED—GOOD FRESNO HOME.
Have 40 acres Bermuda pasture with buildings, price $4000, all clear, no mortgage; will trade for good Fresno home and will pay and difference.

25 acres extra good land, house, barn, water right, two horses, about 100 in alfalfa, about one in Thompson vines, balance was in crop over October; will take Fresno home as first payment. Price $12,500, balance terms.
A. W. BAGBY
1033 J St.

EXCHANGES EXCHANGES EXCHANGES
5 Acres, close in, highly improved. Want city.
10 Acres, well improved. Want city.
20 Acres, buildings, team, implements, 10 peaches, 10 Thompsons, close to Fresno; $9000 or $1250 down.
40 Acres, bungalow, good barn, alfalfa and Thompsons. Want city or small payment down.
80 Acres, buildings, peaches, muscats and Thompsons. Want good city.
Exchanges my specialty. I can trade the earth. What have you to offer?
D. W. MATTHEW
2044 Mariposa St., Over Hollands'

320 ACRES, excellent soil, house, barn, windmill, well, all fenced; Hamilton county, Kansas. Trade for Fresno property. Coming, Temple Bar Building. Phone 999.

FORTY acres, mostly Thompson vines; good buildings, near Clovis, $21,000, trade for city, raw land, alfalfa, dairy Submit.
R. S. THOMPSON Co.
1149 J street Phone 159.

WILL TAKE SMALL CAR AS FIRST PAYMENT
On a 5-room modern cottage on lot 50x135 on beautiful Thomas Ave. Garage, chicken yards. Price only $2300. Terms $20 per month including interest. Easily worth $2600. Act quick.
A. SPARKMAN & PARRA
Phone 855. 131 Edgerly Bldg.

160 ACRES; 80 ALFALFA, 80 READY FOR VINES
Price Only $125 Per Acre
Will take good city house and lot as first payment. Underground irrigating system on the 80 for alfalfa. Good water right; 4-room cottage, large barn, 18 h. p. gas pumping plant; A No. 1 soil; all fenced. Only nine miles from courthouse. Balance to suit you. Terms, 6 per cent interest.
SPARKMAN & PARRA
Phone 855. 131 Edgerly Bldg.

HOUSE in Los Angeles exchanged for Fresno city; six good rooms, all modern; large lot; close in. Room 317 Cory Bldg. Phone 4595.

160 ACRES close to Fresno, alfalfa, grain and pasture land, water ten feet from surface; plenty of ditch water for irrigation; all fenced; buildings. Owner is going to war. Room 317 Cory Bldg. Phone 4595.

TWENTY-ACRE alive orchard for city property. 317 Cory Bldg. Phone 4595.

INVESTIGATE THIS—Furniture store, good location, for sale or exchange for city or country property. Owner drafted. Coming Co., Temple Bar Bldg. Phone 999.

HAVE you country property in vicinity of Fresno to exchange for Oakland flats or apartments? We have a choice list. Write us at once. Cavanagh and Moore, 1601 Telegraph, Oakland, Cal.

WE have homes, flats and apartments in Oakland to exchange for Fresno. Cavanagh & Moore, 1601 Telegraph, Oakland, Calif.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BLACKSMITH outfit and good paying business for sale at Del Rey. Inquire or write L. W. Martinson, Del Rey.

FOR SALE—Lodging house of 26 furnished rooms; good location. Price $800. Would take automobile for part payment. Party going east. Address Hanford News Co., Hanford, Cal.

DESK room or half of office for rent; use of phone and stenographer service if desired. 226 Cory Bldg.

A NEAT LITTLE FURNITURE STORE
New and slightly used stock. A good hustler can make $250 to $300 month. All equipment. Fine location on best street in Fresno. Manager is gone; store is locked. Invoice about $1,200. Will give you key and clear bill of sale for $850 cash if sold before the first day of November. Address the owner, 101 San Pablo Ave., Fresno. Phone 3242-W.

AUTOMOBILE—Tire and Supply store with stock, fixtures, machinery and service car. Rent reasonable, long lease. Owner drafted. Coming, Temple Bar Building. Phone 999.

HERE is a fine one-story brick building with a railroad spur. Fine for any kind of business. This building is in Fresno and can be bought at a sacrifice price.

Also have some choice apartment sites, business corners and income property. If you are looking for a safe investment, see
J. E. WRIGHT, The Right Mr. Wright
2249 Tulare St. Phone 2586.

CALL Hays for trucking. Phone 3051-W.

PAYING cash grocery; stock at invoice; will discount fixtures. Poor health reason for selling. 503 Blackstone Ave.

ROOMING house, 23 rooms, best location in Fresno. Cause of sale, sickness. Coming Company, Temple Bar Bldg. Phone 999.

WANTED—Man with some capital and experience to improve 80 acres to vines and trees on partnership basis. I will advance all money for labor and improvements. Address Box 9246, Republican.

SHINER for lease at Eye and Divisadero Sts. Phone 2649.

GRAND opportunity. Fine paying cash-carry grocery, candy and cigar business; account war; leaving Fresno. Box 9412, Republican.

BUSINESS CARDS

CHIMNEY SWEEP and furnace cleaner. Leave orders. Phone 56. J. E. Smith.

NICKEL and silver plating for old plated silverware and all kinds plating work.
FRESNO NICKEL PLATING WORKS
Tel. 859. 628 J St.

CHIMNEY SWEEP—Fresno Hardware Co. Phone 440. H. E. Elliott.

STOVES relined and furniture repaired at the Fresno Repair Shop, 2325 Fresno St.

GASOLINE lighting and repairing. Sherwood 1244-J.

TRY the Fresno Repair Shop for umbrella and parasol repairing and re-covering. 2328 Fresno St.

MATTRESSES and feathers renovated; mattress returned same day; first-class upholstering; work guaranteed. B. Daniel & Co., 111 California, near Tulare Ave. Phone 1195.

HILL COLLECTION CO.
818 Mason Bldg. Phone 158

PACIFIC TENT AND AWNING CO.—Largest tent house in the valley. 1927 Kern St. Phone 838-J.

DRESSMAKING

MRS. ROSE, dressmaking; day work. Phone 2414-M. 2404 McKenzie.

MME. STAPP, modiste, braiding, hemstitching and pleating. 1405 Eye St. Phone 2542-J.

NU-BONE corsets made to measure; medical fittings a specialty. 705 Van Ness. Phone 811-J.

NU-BONE made-to-measure corset. Mrs. Mellen Wall, 1604 J street. Phone 1140-J.

MISS BRUGGEMAN, 2238 Merced St. Phone 3014-W.

ESTRAYED

LOST—Bay mare, since Oct. 22, about 5 years old, weighed 1050 lbs., in north Dinuba. H. R. 3, Box 39, Dinuba.

ESTRAYED—Black and white spotted heifer, on Oct. 7. Right ear split, about two years old. Corner Cornelia and Kearney Ave. Finder leave word at Kohler Laundry, 740 H St.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Two square pianos and a grand piano, cheap. 3035 Kern avenue. Phone 3021-J.

ALFALFA hay for sale in stack, 12c a lb. Hayes, West and Adams avenue.

ONE Fresno incubator cheap for cash. 3-7 Hall Bldg.

ALFALFA hay $13 per ton. Phone 3237.

FOR SALE—Two standard upright pianos, very best condition. Kranich piano, $225.

A POWER well drilling outfit, complete for sale or exchange. 219 Winter's Bridge road.

SET of seed jars for two quarts, cost $1.50 a set. 1 South Van Ness.

FOR SALE—Furniture of the Fresno complete, $750 or street. No dealers. J. E. Meyer, Prather, Cal.

FOR SALE—Four mules, six wood, 6 years old, to reach 50 miles from Fresno. J. E. Meyer, Prather, Cal.

GOING to Los Angeles Sunday; roomy 5-passenger auto; can carry four persons both ways. Give phone number. Address Box 9418, Republican.

WOOD BLOCKS from building operations will be given in exchange for labor. Inquire 1026 E street. Phone 3264-J.

FOR SALE—Three-burner gas plate and large oven, been for $8. Inquire 2354 Clay Ave.

FOR SALE
No More Coal
Phone any grocery or 2092. No More Dust Mops.

PICTURES FRAMED
While you wait. 50c, 75c to $15. Largest selection in Fresno. At Sanderson's Paradise, Wall Paper and Picture Frame Store.

LOOK OUT!
Watch for the big sale on $2,000 worth of furniture and household goods that will be sold in a few days at my old place at the Simpson Auction House on Tulare, between M and N Sts.

FOR SALE—About 200 tons of alfalfa hay, $25 per ton. Located on fair grounds. Ask for G. E. Hopper.

SIXTY feet beautiful iron fence, also wire and pickets. Phone 5714-W.

LUMBER, plumbing, window, door, roofing supplies from foundation to roof.

EVERYONE TO AID DRIVE

EVERY PERSON TO BE ENLISTED IN BIG WAR WORK CAMPAIGN

Women of County to Be Organized; Victory Boys and Girls Being Formed; Students to Aid in Raising Fresno's Quota of $146,800

Men, women and children are being enlisted in the cause of the United War Work campaign, according to reports made at the campaig headquarters at 1206 J street yesterday.

In order to make sure that Fresno county shall not fail in raising the $146,800, which is its quota of the national United War Work fund, the committee has begun its organization of the man, woman and child power the county.

Women to be Enlisted

Miss Sarah McCardle, county librarian, has been appointed chairman of the women's participation committee, and states that she will announce the committee appointments today. It was stated that this committee will enlist the women of the Y. W. C. A., the Parlor Lecture club, and the other women's clubs and organizations throughout the county.

It was stated by the committee that this campaign holds a peculiar interest for women. Their organizations represented by the Y. W. C. A. with their canteen workers at home and abroad are in the thick of the fight, and are aiding the soldier as no other agency could. This is a woman's war as well as a man's, the committee points out. But for their co-operation in the munitions plants, and in the other war services the war could not be won by the men.

Campaign Manager H. E. Patterson said that the Fresno County committee realized that this drive needs the active and hearty assistance of every woman and girl in the county, and the committee intended to make use of them. Agencies would be found, he said, whereby each one would be able to do something for the fund.

Victory Boys and Girls

The first steps towards organizing the boys and girls of the county in the United War Work campaign were taken yesterday when Raymond Quigley, who is in charge of the city Victory Boys and Girls, announced that committees were being formed.

"Fresno city boys and girls," he said, "are expected to be 100 per cent represented in this drive. The slogan of the Victory Boys is 'A Million Victory Boys Behind a Million Fighters!' and the slogan for the girls is 'Every Girl Pulling for Victory!'

Quigley announces that committees will be organized for this division of the war work drive in high schools, grammar schools, elementary schools, secondary schools, parochial schools, private schools, Sunday schools, Y. M. C. A. boys, Campfire Girls, marine scouts, boy scouts, Young People's societies, department stores, manufactories, packing houses, general stores and shops. "All these committees will have a definite work to do," he said, "and the work will be made interesting for the members."

It was stated that all the packing houses in the city had been called upon yesterday morning, and in every case considerable help was given in organizing a committee. Several of the schools were also called upon, Quigley said, and committees organized.

Earn and Give $5

"The object of each boy and girl member of the Victory Boys and Girls is that each of them shall earn and give at least $5 towards the United War Work campaign," Quigley said, "and it is realized that it may be hard for some of them to give, but the sacrifice will show the determination of the member."

As a means of earning enough to contribute to the United War Work fund the committee declares that there are 101 ways in which American boys, who want to back up their fighters overseas may earn $5 they are pledging themselves to "earn and give" during the United War Work campaign to be undertaken during the week of November 11-18 by the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., National Catholic War Council, Jewish Welfare Board, War Camp Community Service, American Library Association and the Salvation Army.

No American lad who really wants to help uphold the morale of his big brother now bearing arms need puzzle himself long over the way in which he may "earn," so that he may subsequently "give."

Ways To Earn Money

Following are a few of the ways in which the 45,000 lads in the eight Western states of California, Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Utah, Idaho, Wyoming and Montana may earn the amount of their pledge and win a "Victory" button and the banner provided for their windows at home:

Sawing and cutting wood.
Digging gardens.
Raising guinea pigs and squabs.
Beating carpets and rugs.
Varnishing chairs.
Mowing and raking lawns and cleaning yards.
Waxing floors.
Painting barns and fences.
Washing windows.
Cleaning cellars, barns and attics.
Decorating show windows.

Selma Shows Enterprise

Reports from various parts of the county at the headquarters at 1206 J street, show that the plans for the campaign are progressing. Selma announces that she intends to have an American flag painted in sections as the contributions flow in. The more the contributions are the nearer to completion will the flag become, till on reaching the quota for the district the flag will be completed. A Roll of Honor is also to be formed announcing the subscriptions. This Roll of Honor will be placed in the form of a bulletin board and all subscriptions will be listed. The county executive committee has indorsed the enterprise of the Selma committee.

Flag For County

It has been proposed that the general committee give a silk honor flag to the district showing the highest percentage of subscriptions. The flag is to bear the inscription "For the boys over there" on a red shield set on a dark blue circular ground with the inscription surrounding the shield, "United War Work Campaign" and underneath the words, "Honor Flag." Campaign Manager Patterson said that he expected the honor flag would be adopted by the committee.

Organize Colleges

Plans for the organization of the Normal school, the Business colleges and Junior college, have been placed in the hands of Miss Maude Schaeffer and W. F. Thomas of the Normal school faculty. This will form the students' part of the campaign. Owing to the influenza epidemic the schools and colleges are now closed, but the organization will be completed notwithstanding, W. F. Thomas said.

President Wilson Supports United War Work Drive

Not only does the war department recognize the value of the various war services on the morale of the soldier, but the President himself has expressed himself warmly on the merits of the war work carried on by them. He also states that he regards the combining of the appeals into one campaign as not only economical and less likely to disturb the people of the nation, but highly patriotic. His letter to Raymond B. Fosdick, noted war worker and writer, and national director of the present drive, is as follows:

"The White House,
"Washington, Sept. 3, 1918.

"My Dear Mr. Fosdick;

"May I not call your attention to a matter which has been recently engaging my thought not a little?

"The war department has recognized the Young Men's Christian Association, the Young Women's Christian Association, the National Catholic War Council (Knights of Columbus), the Jewish Welfare Board, the War Camp Community Service, the American Library Association and the Salvation Army as accepted instrumentalities through which the men in the ranks are to be assisted in many essential matters of recreation and morale.

"It was evident from the first, and has become increasingly evident, that the services rendered by these agencies to our army and to our allies are essentially one and all of a kind, and must, of necessity, if well rendered, be rendered in the closest co-operation. It is my judgment, therefore, that we shall secure the best results in the matter of the support of these agencies, if these seven societies will unite their forthcoming appeals for funds, in order that the spirit of the country in this matter may be expressed without distinction of race or religious opinion in support of what is in reality a common service.

"This point of view is sustained by the necessity, which the war has forced upon us, of limiting our appeals for funds in such a way that two or three comprehensive campaigns shall take the place of a series of independent calls upon the generosity of the country.

"Will you not, therefore, as chairman of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, be good enough to request the societies in question to combine their approaching appeals for funds in a single campaign, preferably during the week of November 11, so that in their solicitation of funds, as well as in their work in the field, they may act in as complete co-operation and fellowship as possible?

"In inviting these organizations to give this new evidence of their patriotic co-operation, I wish it distinctly understood that their compliance with this request will not in any sense imply the surrender on the part of any of them its distinctive character and autonomy, because I fully realize the fact that each of them has its own traditions, principles and relationships which it properly prizes and which, if preserved and strengthened, make possible the largest service.

"At the same time, I would be obliged if you would convey to them from me a very warm expression of the government's appreciation of the splendid service they have rendered in ministering to the troops at home and overseas in their leisure time. Through their agencies the moral and spiritual resources of the nation have been mobilized behind our forces and used in the finest way, and they are contributing directly and effectively to the winning of the war.

"It has been gratifying to find such a fine spirit of co-operation among all the leaders of the organizations I have mentioned. This spirit, and the patriotism of all the members and friends of these agencies give me confidence to believe that the united war work campaign will be crowned with abundant success.

"Cordially and sincerely yours,
"WOODROW WILSON."

Demand Final Payment on Red Cross Fund

"Make your final payments on the Red Cross pledges," is the cry of the committee appointed to collect the outstanding subscriptions on the Second Red Cross War Fund. About $6000 of the money pledged is still outstanding, and the committee states that every effort has been made to have it all collected. Owing to the recent big drives overseas, the drain on the Red Cross has been great, and the committee states that unless payment is made at once steps will be taken to collect. The following letter has been addressed to those who have not paid up their pledges:

"Dear Sir: So great have been the demands upon the American Red Cross, as a result of the recent drives on all Allied fronts, that a request has been made upon the local chapter for an immediate collection and remittance of outstanding pledges.

"Your pledge amounting to —— is now past due and out only are you legally responsible for an immediate settlement, but as a patriotic duty, you are honor bound to respect your pledge.

"We shall expect your check by return mail. Pledges may be paid at either of the following places: Farmers National Bank; Fresno Merchants Association, 633 Rowell Building; Fresno County Chamber of Commerce, 630 Rowell Building, or the office of Burdick & Baker, New Bank of Italy Building.

"Patriotically yours,
WARD B. MINTURN,
L. J. ALLEN,
H. E. PATTERSON,
Committee.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Oct. 29—Cadets Howard D. Burnett and Howell D. Williams, of Barron field, were killed today when their planes collided in the air. Williams is from Pittston, Pa., and Burnett from Dodge City, Kas.

NURSES' AIDS TO BE ALLOWED OVER SEAS SERVICE

Emergency Work of Aids In Epidemic Gives Them High Rating

Consider Married Women as Eligible for Army Service

Because of the wonderful work accomplished by Red Cross Nurses' Aids in the present Spanish influenza epidemic throughout the country, these nurses' aids will now be eligible in the United States military establishments in France.

This was the word received yesterday from Washington by A. B. C. Dohrmann, acting manager of the Pacific division, in the following telegram: "At the request of Surgeon General Ireland the American Red Cross has begun the work of recruiting 1500 nurses' aids to be sent to France immediately to help care for sick and wounded soldiers in our military establishments.

"Heretofore the army has not used nurses' aids in hospitals, but the splendid work done by these volunteer workers during the present epidemic of Spanish influenza has proven their worth; they have been serving in French military hospitals for some time and also rendering great service in convalescent and children's hospitals in France maintained by the American Red Cross.

"Application for overseas service as aids should be made at once to Division Office of the American Red Cross. Information on the subject can be obtained at Red Cross chapters. Women between the ages of 35 and 45, who have completed the course in hygiene and home care of the sick, or who have had an equal amount of experience in the sick room, are eligible for enrollment in the service for the duration of the war with a salary allowance of $30 a month plus maintenance, laundering of uniforms and traveling expenses.

"Women with brothers in the service and married women with husbands not in service and beyond draft age will be accepted. The plan to permit mothers with sons in the service to serve in this capacity is under consideration. Classes to provide instruction for women desirous of serving overseas in this capacity are now being organized in American Red Cross chapters."

Nurses Supplied By Women of Defense Council

The call for nurses was responded to handsomely yesterday, according to a report by the Women's Committee of the Council of Defense. It was reported that the committee furnished five nurses to the county orphanage yesterday, and that there are two or three nurses in reserve ready to go out when called.

Mrs. E. A. Williams announces that the office of the committee at 223 Rowell building is open every day from 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. and the telephone number is 3181, and that all intending to offer their services as nurses are asked to telephone or call at the office.

TO SPEAK AGAINST HEALTH INSURANCE

Opposition to the health insurance amendment is to form the subject of an address at the Dickey Playground on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Mrs. L. P. Boyce of Los Angeles. The meeting is to be held under the auspices of the Woman's Campaign committee of the Research Society of Social Economics.

The meeting is open to all, and the public is invited to be present.

TANK CORPS GETS MANY FRESNO MEN

Fresno Exceeds Both Sacramento and Stockton

With forty one men enlisting in the tank corps yesterday Fresno exceeded Sacramento by six and Stockton by twenty one men, according to Lieutenant Warren F. Myers, in charge of the work. This does not include all of those volunteering their services as a few were rejected for various reasons. Those who were accepted will be called within two weeks and will be transferred to Raleigh, N. Carolina, now the receiving camp for that branch of the service instead of Gettysburg, Pa.

The men will be given some preliminary training there and will most likely be sent over seas within eight or ten weeks. Possibly 15,000 men will be required for this corps and they are expected to be in France or wherever required by next spring.

Following is a list of those enlisting from here yesterday:

John R. Campbell, Dos Palos; Claude Tindell, Sanger, route 3, box 201; Frank Ernest Holm, Porterville, route 1, box 165; Sidney M. Smith, Clovis; Mike G. Miller, Fresno, route 5, box 262; William M. Wier, Fresno, 1329 Calaveras street; Oscar B. Ellis, 1636 Belmont avenue, Newton N. Kinchloe, 3864 McKnight street, Dominick R. Nasselli, 2310 Railroad avenue, Henry W. Schrader, 1910 Fresno street, Andrew R. Berry, 267 Echo street, Robert S. Hufman, Fresno Republican, Jack S. MacKenzie, 351 Hedges avenue, Guy E. Baker, 2959 Belmont avenue, Ray O. Bishop, Fresno, Garnett G. Horton, 2631 White avenue, Oscar G. Monson, 475 Glenn avenue, Chester I. Turner, 249 Fresno avenue, Ralph Sukecian, rural route 3, box 271, Fresno, Elden R. Hull, East Tulare street, Frederick J. Peterson, 2611 Fremont avenue, Edward E. Flynn, Elwood D. Gregory, 2231 San Joaquin street, Fred W. Shunk, 454 Raisina street, W. Peterson, rural route 6, box 53, Fresno, Lawrence F. Taylor, 1536 I street, Fresno; Charles Staly, Walter T. Lambert, rural route 4, Dinuba; Peter J. Rogh, Johanes Jorgensen, Arlaugh B. Glass, Frank P. Hansen, Selma; William E. Tindell, Hanford; Winfield S. Ranbolt, San Joaquin; Carl D. Claussen, Le Grand, Cal.; Elmore W. Bank, 312 East 48 street, Los Angeles; Wilbur S. Workman, Ralph H. Coma, Oilfields; Rupert Brown, Kingsburg, Clarence E. Smith, St. Helena, Cal.

SEEKS DIVORCE

Petition for divorce was filed yesterday by Ida Hall Renck against J. M. Renck. Lewis H. Smith is attorney for the plaintiff.

WILL PLANT 400 ACRES TO WHEAT

Carl E. Krevenhagen of the Coalinga region will plant 400 acres of wheat this year. He will increase his acreage in order to help boost Fresno's quota of 40,000 acre up to 50,000.

Krevenhagen, Inc., are also going to put in several hundred acres.

REFUSE TO WEAR MASKS, GET JAILED

Because they refused to wear masks yesterday, S. Affaraso, Gulian Ramos, Jose Perez and Pedro Sparka were lodged in the county jail by Constable Ford and Deputy Constable Crawford of Fowler.

They were charged with a misdemeanor and were arrested by order of Health Officer Chapman. They will be given a hearing before Judge Hudson today.

The men were all section hands.

BURY PATTERSON MAN HERE.

The body of Charles F. Pippig, 28 years of age, who died in Patterson, Cal., will arrive in Fresno Friday, according to Stephens & Bean, who will announce funeral arrangements later.

The decedent is survived by the widow, Mrs. Margaret Pippig, three daughters, Ethel, Florence and Elizabeth Pippig, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pippig, a brother and a sister, Mrs. R. H. Lewis.

He was a native of Kansas.

FUNERAL FOR W. HOEST.

Funeral services of Walter Hoest, who died in San Francisco yesterday, will be held in Fresno, according to Stephens & Bean, in charge of arrangements. The decedent was 32 years old.

A brother, Emil, an uncle, a cousin, A. Hansen, of Fresno survive him.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 29—Today's Canadian casualty list carries the name of R. Tubing, Los Angeles, wounded and gassed.

NOTICE.

Dr. Allen Jackson's Dental Office closed on account of illness. Watch this paper for re-opening announcement.
—Advertisement.

SOUR STOMACH

Can be relieved with one dose of M. A. C. The best remedy for dyspepsia and constipation. At all druggists and Smith Bros. Drug Store.
—Advertisement

Dr. Sorenson, dentist, Rowell Bldg.
—Advertisement

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Special Offerings in New Fall Dresses, Coats, Suits

—We know the wonderful values offered will please the most economical woman, when she sees what we have to offer at the low prices. Be here early; enough said.

New Fall Dresses
Serge, Satin Combinations

—To be smartly dressed this season, you need but to choose one of these clever new dresses. Those dresses for the most part are one of a style, so individual descriptions are quite impossible, as they would be inadequate to picture their beauties to you.

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Clever Fall Suits Greatly Underpriced

—Suits at low prices, considering the value. Scores of graceful styles, made of splendid material. A big offering when compared with others.

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New Fall Coats Greatly Underpriced

—Undoubtedly the best coat values in Fresno. Clever, practical styles that will be priced many dollars more elsewhere. See them early during the sale.

Damask and Toweling

DAMASK CLOTHS $2.25
—All ready to use: hemmed, 58x31 inches; good quality of mercerized damask.

DAMASK CLOTHS $3.00
—Two yards square; fine quality satin finished damask; round patterns.
—21 inch napkins to match; dozen $3.25.

TURKISH TOWEL 20c
—Hand towels, hemmed and selling at a very low price.

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1001-10 MARIPOSA ST.

Mariposa Street Grocery Specials for Today Phone 3700

—Medium size cans Cottolene, $1.00 can.
—1 cake Creme Oil Soap free with a purchase of 3 cakes Creme Oil Soap for 30c.
—Jet Oil Shoe Polish, 10c bottle.
—Beets, 3 bunches 10c.
—Our Imperial Blend Coffee, regular price 30c, special 25c lb.
—65c bottles Burnett's Pure Lemon or Vanilla Extract, 55c bottle.
50c bottles A-1 Sauce, 45c each.
—Large size pkgs. Carnation Oat Flakes, 35c pkg.
—Hard Wood Tooth Picks, 3 bxs. 10c.
—Turnips, 3 bunches, 10c.
—Egg Plant, 4 pounds 10c.
—15c bottles Queen Olives, 2 for 25c.
—Magic Yeast, 3 bxs. 10c.
—Lewis' prepared Mustard, 9c bottle.
—Grape Nuts, 2 pkgs. 25c.

Self-Help Grocery Specials for Today Why Pay More

—Violet Brand Shortening, net weight, 6 lbs. 3 ozs., $1.80.
—Violet Brand Shortening, net weight 1 lb. 8 ozs., 47c.
—Ben Hur Vacuum Packed (steel cut) Coffee— No better coffee offered for sale, 1 lb. can, 34c; 2 1-2 lb. can, 87c.
—Cream Oil Soap, 3 bars for 30c—1 bar free.
—(This week only).
—Crystal White Soap, 2 bars, 11c.
—(Limited).
—American Biscuit Co. (Cakes and Cookies), all 20c pkgs., today only, 15c pkg.
—Sweet Potatoes; nice and smooth, 10 lbs. for 25c.
—Welch's Grape Juice, pts., 17c bottle.
—Violet Brand Shortening, net weight 3 lbs. 1 oz., 95c.
—China Bluing, large bottles, 3 for 25c.
—(Limited).
—Phoenix Pancake Flour, 4 lb. bag, 29c.
—Pink Beans, new crop, 9c lb.
—Tomatoes (Puree), No. 10 cans, 50c can.
—Irish Spuds, 10 lbs., 25c—(Fancy stock).
—Mill Runs (80 lb. sack), $1.50 sack.

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Have consulted us about their eyes. Some were advised to wear glasses. Others were told not to. All were given honest, helpful advice. Consult us about your eyes.

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